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SEVENTY-SIX RINGING AYES.

Senators Break Their Pairs to Be Recorded.

Galleries Applaud Them, but the Members are Silent.

Situation Too Grave to Allow of Any Levity.

HOUSE DEBATING ALASKA BILL

o River and Harbor Bill Appropriations This Session-Report Recommending Modification of the

PASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.1 WASHINGTON, March 9 .- President

McKinley's hands have been upheld by both branches of the American Congress. With enthusiasm, fervor and promptness almost unparalleled in the enale in time of peace, that body today passed the emergency appropria-tion bill carrying \$183,000 of deficiencies and placing at the disposition of the President \$50,000,000 for national defense. The vote by which the measure was passed was unanimous. Seventysix short, sharp and emphatic speecnes were delivered in favor of the bill, each one being simply a ringing "Aye" during roll-call upon the passage of the meas ure. Not only did every Senator present register his vote in favor of the bill, but for every absent member the authoritative announcement was made that if he were present he would vote

From the time the bill was presented to the Senate by Mr. Hale of Maine, until it was passed, not an inharmoplous note was sounded. Party lines were swept aside. In a general outburst of patriotic feeling, pairs were broken, every Senator being anxious to register his vote on the measure.

It was just 12:13 o'clock when Mr. Hale reported the bill to the Senate and asked that it be placed on its passon Appropriations had previously entered into an arrangement whereby there would be no debate on the bill, and after it was read Vice-President Hobart placed it immediately on its passage. Twelve minutes after the bill was reported to the Senate the Vice-President announced its unanimous passage. The business was accomplished to quickly that most of the people who crowded the galleries scorcely realized that the measure, so far as Congress

was concerned, had become a law. Some of the spectators fully grasped the meaning of the Senate's action, and when the announcement of the vote was made a murmur of applause ran through the galleries. The members of the Senate, however, maintained a dignified silence, the realization among all of them being keen that a situation which warranted the passage of so unusual a measure was too grave to prompt an outburst of applause. Earon both sides of the chamber, but there was not a note of levity that would detract from the seriousness of the

work perfected. The House devoted itself to routine usiness today. The Executive, Legisative and Judicial Appropriation Bill went through its last stages in the adoption of the final conference report, and the remainder of the day was consumed in the consideration of the Senate amendment to the Indian Appropriation Bill. The substitute for the Senate provision regarding the opening of the Uncompangre reservation was knocked out on a point of order, and the amendment goes back to con-

oncur in the Senate free-homestead clause encountered bitter opposition, and an arrangement was made where by four hours are to be devoted to demitted by Mr. Eddy of Minnesota, Mr. Sherman, chairman of the Indian com-mittee, declared that the free-homestead provision would cost the govern

port of the Secretary of the Interior.

FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS. REGULAR SESSION

WASHINGTON, March 9.—SENATE. Two hours before the Senate convened today, spectators began to appear in today, spectators began to appear in the gaileries to secure seats, and long before 12 o'clock the public and reserved galleries were filled. In the corridors outside were long lines of surging people anxious to secure admission to witness a session of the Senate that, in its consequences, if not in its actual proceedings, gave promise of being momentous. In fact, it was thought that the Senate's action today might mark the beginning of a new epoch in the country's history. Among the spectators were scores of ladies.

On the floor of the Senate the attendance was unusually large when the Vice-President's gavel fell, calling the body to order. Several members and officers of the House were in the chambers

Among the bills introduced was one by Mr. Sewell of New Jersey, estab-lishing government protection of hom-

At the conclusion of the morning business Mr. Hale of Maine of the Appropriations Committee quietly rose and said: "I report from the Commit-tee on Appropriations without amendment an act to supply urgent deficiencles for the current year and for other purposes, and I ask that it be placed on ts passage."
The bill was the measure appropriat

ing \$50,183,000, of which \$50,000,000 was placed at the disposal of the Presi-dent for the national defense. Amid intense silence the bill was read. At the conclusion of the reading, there being no amendment to the bill, it was placed

on its passage.

Mr. Hale asked that the yeas and nays be called. Such unanimity as the roll call developed was as unusual as it was significant. Pairs were broken on both sides of the chamber in order that all those present might evince their patriotism and desire to uphold the hands of the President in this time of emergency, by voting directly for

he measure.
Within twenty-six minutes after the Senate had convened, the roll call had been completed and the Vice-President thad announced that the bill was passed, seventy-six Senators voting in the affirmative and not one in the negative.

As the Vice-President made his announcement, a slight ripple of applause ran through the galleries, but the mem-bers of the Senate remained calm and dignified, repressing the enthusiasm which, it was evident from the smiling faces and intense interest manifested in every look and gesture a great ma-jority of them felt.

During the roll call it was authori-tatively announced for every absent Senator that if he were present he would have voted aye.

Mr. McMillen of Michigan, in making the announcement for Mr. Thurston,

tained from the Senate, but if he were here he would vote aye." Mr. Vest of Missouri suggested sotto voce that Mr. Thurston might vote in Havana (where Mr. Thurston is now,) and the sally created a laugh among

when Mr. Perkins of California made a similar announcement for Mr. White of California, he said: "My senior partner, if he were here—" and then, catching himself, joined good-naturedly in the general laugh which

naturedly in the general laugh which Chandler of New Hampshir presented the following resolution, which indicates that the disaster to the battleship Maine is to have a thor ough investigation by the Senate:

"Resolved, that in conducting the in quiry into the cause of the destruc tion of the battleship Maine in Havana on February 15, 1898, under resolution of the Senate, on F Committee on Naval Affairs is hereby authorized to send for persons and pa pers, to employ a stenographer and to make investigation by the full commit expenses of said investigation to be

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Contingent Expenses. At 12:40 p.m., on motion of M Davis of Minneapolis, chairman of the attee on Foreign Relations, Senate went into executive session The Senate adjourned at 1:35 r.m.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS. PASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.

WASHINGTON, March 9 .- HOUSI In the House today a bill was passed extending the time within which the Rock Island and Pacific Railroad may construct a branch hrough the Indian 'Territory.

Mr. Lacey (Rep.,) of Jowa asked inanimous consent that the the bill granting general right-of-way through Alaska to railroads and tran ways. Some debate followed. Mr. Moody (Rep.,) of Massachusetts

insisted that the House should hav an opportunity to vote on the fisheries Mr. Loud (Rep.,) of California wanted

similar assurances regarding the home stead provisions in the bill. The amendments to the Alaska Bill were finally non-concurred in, and a conference agreed to. When the clerk of the Senate an-nounced that the Senate had passed,

without amendment, the National De-fense Bill, a wave of applause swept over the floor of the House and the The conference report on the Legis-lative, Executive and Judicial Bill was agreed to without division. This re-

port was a complete agreement be-tween the two houses and the bill now goes to the President. Upon motion of Mr. Sherman (Rep., of New York, chairman of the Com mittee on Indian Affairs, the House Indian Appropriation Bill. Mr. Sherman asked, on behalf of his co

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Millions and Its Disposition.

rresident Will not Yet Allot the Money.

Cost of Warships Must First Be Considered.

ecretary Long's Efforts to Procure Plenty of Ammunition.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, March 9 .- The feaures of the day's events were the promptitude with which the Senate appropriation of \$50,000,000 for the national defense and the haste with which it was put through the formal proceedings, engrossed and signed by the President. While the matter has been considered, it can be stated that the funds have not yet been allotted among the various branches of the government services. Each of these had prepared, roughly and tentatively, an estimate of the funds it could dispose of to advantage, but upon looking over the ground, the President concluded by the change of methods on the par making the allotments until the necessity became apparent. The reason back of this is that the sum that can be profitably spent for warships cannot

cost is ascertained, it is not possible to divide the remainder of the appropriations among the other branches of the military and naval service."

The Secretary of the Navy is making every effort to secure from our naval attachés and by diplomatic officers abroad all information obtainable re-specting the number of ships building, their price and other data. This does not necessarily interfere with the execution of the plans confided to Capt Brownson, who sailed for Southamp ton today, but rather promises to assist him materially in making speed said: "My colleague is unavoidably dewith his inquiries. Up to this moment not only has the government bought no warship, but it has not even secured an option on one. There are many applications coming to the department from persons and firms which desire to sell ships to the government, but in most of these cases one of two cause of resemblance between the projfatal obstacles is encountered to the consummation of the sale. Either the craft offered is not suitable for naval needs, or the date of possible comple-

tion is so distant, from three months upward, that it cannot be regarded as orthy of purchase to meet an emerg-

securing tenders of war material, such as shot and shell and powder, and the Navy Department has almost assured itself of an abundant supply of certain kinds of smokeless powder abroad at short notice. The officials of the department are in daily correspondence, by mail and telegraph, with the agents of ammunition houses, and besides, are now fully acquainted with the plans of domestic powder-maker for enlarging their plants to meet ar emergency.

making firms are in consultation with the department steadily, generally rela tive to the supply of gun forgings and such material for use in the gunshops but the armor is receiving little atten tion, as the armor-makers report that they cannot undertake by any known would be required for a modern battle Data Concerning Vessels Obtainship in less than seven months, for ship-New Armor Requires Time. the reason that tempering and face hardening cannot be hastened withou destroying the value of the armor Thus it has been demonstrated to the Navy Department that it will not be possible to make the armor for the superb battleships, three in number now building at Newport News and at Cramp's and at the Union Iron Works San Francisco, in time to render those ships available for any emergency

that may arise this year. The statement was made at the Navy Department today that the report of the Maine court of inquiry would prob ably come to the department some time ever, that this statement was founded on any direct report from the court but was rather an estimate based upon the progress so far made, as revealed that it would be well perhaps, to avoid of the court. It is not expected that Lieutenant-Commander Marix. judge-advocate of the court, will leave the court until it has completed its labors, and it is the custom for the judge-advocate to assist in the prepar ation of the final report of the court.

Many congratulations are coming to the White House and the State Department from all parts of the country upon the patriotic spirit manifested in dealing with latest phase of the Cuban question. Most of them are official in character, but many are personally directed to the President. Admiral Sicard has been authorized to enlist suitable men for the navy at Key West, if he can find the material. He reported that he had received some applications from machinists and seamen, and was nmediately given the power to take the men. The department is still striving vigorously to secure machinists, especially men who know how to run stationary engines. These men can be quickly taught how to run marine engines, and require little other training to make them valuable aboard ship.

Official reports indicate that the autonomy scheme projected for Porto Rico has been put into successful op-eration. This is interesting mainly be-

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Claim filed for spring water in San

Bernardino Creation of a new school

district to be considered Orange

county growers interested in reducing

freight rates.... County Board of St

cultural

pervisors meet at Riverside Horti-

Ticket for city officers nominated by

Feud over a water ditch at Cuyama

Death of John Hund at Ventura ...

Mass meeting at Santa Barbara in in-

and poultry show ready to open.

tin and deputies acquitted at Wilkes-

barre ... Fifty-million-dollar measure

points?....John Wanamaker v

light at the Kellogg horse sale ..

British cruiser Cordelia at Key West

new Minister arrives at Washington-

Has no comment to make on political

subjects ... "Kid" McCoy's challenge

has expired-Calls himself champion

No River and Harbor Bill this session

No provision for communications be-

tween fortications Georgia murderer

railroad rates Gen. Miles and Secre-

Chicago wheat pit opens stro

Trading on New York Stock Exchange

live-stock market Liverpool grain

Lendon stock market dull ... Oil trans-

actions....Treasury statement....Cali-fornia dried fruits....Coast produce.

arrested.... Chauncey Depew

Commissioners report...

SUMMARY,

Associated Press night report, including commercial, 14.110 words, Times exclusive dispatches, 2671 words; day report, 11,960 words -total, 28,741

The City-Pages 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 14. | Southern California-Page 13 Chamber of Commerce appoints Charter Committee Police Court test case in the Supreme Court Electric mail service to be established Progress of the city water case ... New deal for Bankers' Alliance policy-holders Report of a Rand bonanza....Record of

the king of scorchers Fiesta committees at work Rev. B. E. Howard's resignation accepted ... Oil-well problem before the Fire Commissioners....William Ware, who turned State's evidence, gets his freedom ... Frank Darling will marry the girl he ruined Supervisors grant the petition of the Interurban Land Company. Main-street Railroad sued for heavy damages....Citrus-fruit growers seeking lower freight rates A supposed drunk proves to have been the victim

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China's Minister instructed to get Emperor Nicholas to withdraw mands Vienna advices say that Aus tria has loaned Spain ten millions .. at Havana-Moors near the Maine. Definite offers made for ships building actions...

The representatives of the armor-

ect and the plan which is now sought to put in place in Cuba. The news came in the shape of the follow-

sage advising Congress of his opinion that the time for that has arrived, and transmitting the correspondence between this country and Spain with re-Points of the News in Today's Times. gard to Cuba, and the reports of our consuls in the devastated island, setting forth the cruelty of Spain in conducting the war.

> Congress only the President knows. get night the pro-Cuban Senators and representatives of the Cuban junta vere making great efforts to bring the President's mind to the recognition of independence or the more drastic measure of intervention. Tonight it is stated upon the authority of a Senator who is a member of the Committee on Foreign Relations that a message transmitting

The report of the board of inquiry is expected within three days. The acclimation on Prohibition platform at Redlands Water company election. court has finished taking testimony and terests of a new charter....Pet stock General Eastern-Pages 1, 2, 3, 6, 8. Nineteen-year-old boy shoots his chum and kills himself....Sheriff Marfor peace passes both houses and is signed by the President Sensational resolutions read at Chicago Does England really own disputed Alaskan candidate for Governor ... Bidding that ship may become an item in a Fern expected from Havana-Spain's

general demand for indemnity. Whatever happens or fails to happen, the army and navy will be put in a fighting condition. Today Secretary Alger ordered Gen. Merritt, through Gen. Miles, of course, to detail more officers for recruiting duties at Brook. lyn, Jersey City, Baltimore and Charlotte, N. C. He also ordered that whenever the rush of work on the examining officers prevents them from market list feverish....President may properly examining likely men, men such as are needed in the army, the expenses of such men be paid, if they have traveled from home to offer then selves. A contract was also made for nounting heavy 10-inch guns at Sheridan's Point, opposite Fort Washingthis city and Mt. Vernon, This is merely an incident in the general plan of for-

HOPE FOR CUBA

UncleSam to Recognize Her Independence.

Draft of the Proclamation is Even Now Under Way.

President Reported to Be About Ready to Take Action.

WILL BE INSIDE A MONTH.

Army and Navy Prepared for Any Emergency.

Message and Correspondence Will Be Laid Before Congress.

Board of Inquiry's Report Looked for in Three Days.

WHITEHEAD TORPEDO WAS USED

an Incident in the War Question-Secretary Alger's Orders

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 9 .- [Exclusive Dispatch.] The President's mind is engrossed with war and preparations going too far to say that he expects wer. There is doubt whether he himself has any opinion on that subject that developments do not cause him to modify as they present themselves.

So far as any one can ascertain, he has only one idea, to put this nation in a condition to defend itself and to enforce its demands upon Spain with regard to the war in Cuba. If he had any hard and fast policy, he would not have asked for the plenary power given him by Congress informally by the leaders on Saturday and formally today by the grant of \$50,000,000 for national defense. Here are some facts that may help to indicate what the President is

thinking. The President has written out the draft of a proclamation recognizing the independence of Cuba; also of a mes-

When that will be transmitted to the correspondence may be expected,

will return to Key West to prepare its finding. But that report will not be a great factor in bringing about a crisis, A story here is that the President has information on that subject that leads him to believe a Whitehead torpedo was launched from the shore near where the Maine was lying. All reports about the cause heretofore have merely called the agency of destruction a "torpedo" or a "mine." This story is that it was a Whitehead torpede, one of those that is launched from a pneumatic tube and is propelled after the start by a screw at its stern. The Maine matter will be but an inident in the Cuban war question. If there is an armed conflict the loss of

State Legislatures have no right to fix tary Alger confer ... Britain's stock have to interfere for Cuba for sanitary

trouble in the East, she would offer us her sympathy and practical aid in any trouble that threatened with

Spain that raised a discussion of the eastern question in the Cabinet meeting last Tuesday. The administration appreciates the value of this friendly attitude."

DISASTROUS TO CIVILIZATION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PARIS, March 9 .- The Temps this

long will be disastrous to civilization," and hopes "the good sense and good faith of the Spaniards and Americans will prevent war."

MEN OF THE MAINE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, March 9 .- Five of the

crew of the Maine arrived there today on the Mellory steamship Lampasas from Key West. They are John B. Load, master-at-arms; John Schwartz, cook, and Daniel Topilla, K. Kushida and Fusiano Awo, stewards. They went at once to the Brooklyn nevy yard.

SHOT AND SHELL

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BOSTON, March 9.—A consignment of ammunition, consisting of twenty-

four tons of shot and shell, came in

today, and is being transferred by lighter to Fort Warren, and the forti-

figurer to Fort Warren, and the fortifications at Long Island head. This week eight eight-ton guns are to be taken from Fort Winthrop and shipped by rail to some southern port. The revenue cutter Daniel Manning left this port today for New York, there to receive sailing orders, understood here to be for Key West.

ORDERS FOR MATERIAL

READING (Pa.,) March 9.-The Car-

bid on over eleven thousand shells of

various sizes for the government. The contract would amount to nearly \$1,750,000. The entire plant is now

working night and day on a govern-ment contract involving the expendi-

ture of \$1,000,000.

ture of \$1,000,000.

The Pennsylvania Diamond Drill Manufacturing Company at Birdsboro today received orders to execute work known as "reassembling" on the 5-inch regimental tube-wire gun recently built by the company and accepted by the government. The gun was tested at Sandy Hook, and 216 shots were fired, 192 by the government. It is 19 feet long and weighs 33.4 tons. It fires a shot weighing 60 pounds, and at the test attained a maximum battery pressure of 65,000 pounds a square inch. The muzzle velocity was 3235 feet a second, and the range nine miles. The work will be completed in from thirty to sixty days, and it is said the gun may be mounted on one of the auxiliary

cruisers.

The Reading Iron Company is building a 10-inch gun for the government on the same plan as the above, \$33,000 having been appropriated for the purpose. It will be finished about the end

SPAIN'S NEW MINISTER.

SENOR POLO DE BERNABE HAS

REACHED THIS COUNTRY.

He Arrives at New York on Board a German Lloyd Steamer-Says

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, March 9.—On board the German Lloyd steamer Kaiser

Wilhelm II, which arrived today from

Gibralter, was Señor Polo de Bernabe, Spanish Minister to the United States,

who was sent here to succeed Sefor

Dupuy de Lome. Señor de Bernabe, at quarantine, an-

swered questions pleasantly, saying that he had been ten days without news, and was ready to receive, rather than to impart information. He said:

"I am not a stranger here; in fact, I am an old Washingtonian. Of course,

am an old Washingtonian. Of course, I have no comment to make on politi-cal subjects. I shall probably go im-

He is an Old Washingtonian. Has No Comment to Make on Po-

rnoon says that "the war into which United States throws itself head-

ago, but it is being done under hurry orders. That is what was done at the War Department today.

Secretary Long today advised the officers of the American lines, whose transatiantic liners are likely to be called into service as auxiliary cruisers, to hold themselves in readiness to send their ships to navy yards and private shippards on short notice. Be-fore they could be used, their superned on the sides and decks, both for the purpose of bearing the extra weight of guns and also to protect them from shot from light guns such as they carry. There are about thirty such liners

During the day the Secretary als conference with the representatives of the Carnegie and Bethlehen companies, with a view to having then make the necessary fittings for thes auxiliary war vessels. Some work for that purpose will be undertaken at once, but not very much. The St. Paul, the St. Louis and the New York will probably be equipped first. The

not yet been put into execution. en the President does send a mes sage to Congress he will tell the lators that he has prepared the army and navy for any emergency. Because of the need of doing much work, any action within two weeks seems unrea-sonable. Yet the assertion is made that Cuba will be recognized in less

than a month.

As such action is expected to cause trouble, it is not considered that President will invite a state of affairs that probably would cause American soldiers to be sent to Cuba during the rainy season, which begins March 21, lasts until September.

Orders were sent to the Government Printing Office from the adjutant-genral's office calling for a great quantity of blank forms of officers' reports used while an army is in the field.

IMMEDIATE INTERVENTION. WASHINGTON, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A credible rumor prevails that an agreement exists between the leaders of Congress and the admin istration that the passage of the \$50,000,000 war measure means immediate intervention in Cuba. The President is said to have so pledged himself.

ENGLAND TO FOLLOW. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 10 .- A dispatch to the World from London says public interest in England is largely centered on the American-Spanish crisis, notwithstanding that Anglo-Russian af-fairs in the Far East have again

reached an acute stage.

The feeling reflected in the lobby of the House of Commons is growing markedly sympathetic, and the British government will be urged from both sides of the House, Conservative and Liberal, to acknowledge the independ-ence of the Cubans immediately after the United States does so, as the first step toward intervention in Cuba.

RECOGNITION MEANS WAR

NEW HAVEN (Ct..) March 9.-Prof class on political economy at Yale to day, expressed his views on the presternational difficulty between United States and Spain. Prof. Hadley reviewed at length Spain's govern ment of the island of Cuba and the atrocities practiced by Gen. Weyler, and also discussed the relations of a business nature existing between Americans and the island of Cuba. He business nature called Consul-General Lee "a very effi cient man, at first somewhat indiscreet and especially under the Cleveland ad-ministration, but now more cautious and noted more for efficiency than

Continuing, Prof. Hadley said, as to the Maine disaster, that no proof of

foul play had come to light.
"In the matter of international comity," he continued, "recognition of Cuban independence would be equivalent to a declaration of war. It is a principle of international law that so long as Spain has not ceased to wage war in Cuba, and so long as the ts are not in possession of a territory and preserving order there, the United States are no justified in recognizing Cuba's inde-

WHAT KEEPS THEM?

Inquiry at Havana About the Members of the Court. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

HAVANA, March 9.-[By Key West Cable.] A further examination occupied the court of inquiry
The sessions were not long, and it would be hard for anyone not pos sessed of inside information, to tell what keeps the members here, unless is that they are waiting until the divers are able to examine and report upon portions of the hull already gulfed in the harbor mud. The harbor mud. The Fern eft for Key West tonight.

The Americans here pleased at the prompt action of Con-gress in passing the defense bill, everyone regarding the appropriation as wise measure in time of peace.

ALL EUROPE BELLICOSE. Spain May Not Be the Only One is

the Shooting-match.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] LONDON March 9 .- [Exclusive Dispatch.] All Europe is preparing for war. Shipyards and arsenals are working day and night and recruiting offices are wide open. The English naval estimate this year, made public yesterday, carries the unprecedented sum of \$120,000,000.

PRAISE FOR AMERICA.

London Chronicle and News Express Warm Sympathy. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, March 10 .- [By Atlantic Cable.] The Daily Chronicle, in an edi-torial this morning on the Cuban situa-tion, describes President McKipley's action throughout the crisis as "a model of statesmanship." It declares that the action of the Wishington govern-ment in connection with the Maine dis-aster deserves the highest recognition. "There is every indication," says the

preparing for the inevitable struggle. Soon it will be necessary for Great Britain to show on which side its sym-pathies lie."

Arguing at considerable length upone unselfishness of America's motive in desiring to put an end to the hell upon earth in Cuba, and insisting that "America has a better right to interfere than has been put forward as a justification in two out of every three wars in history." the Daily Chronicle

says: "We hope Great Britain will no only go as far officially as the furthest limits of international law permit, but that public opinion will declare itself openly, unmistakably, and in the teeth of all Europe, if necessary, as sympa-thizing heartily with the motives im-pelling America at last to take a steppelling America at last to take a step so natural and yet one she has so long hesitated to take.

"At the same time we wish it were

possible to persuade Spain, even at the eleventh hour, that her honor and Cuba might be saved by the recognition of inevitable facts. To bid Cuba be free would be a hard task, but it would be the safest and the most dignified

The Daily News says editorially this morning: "While crediting the United States with the generous error of giving the world a noble example of sacri fice for peace by unpreparedness for war, we are glad to see that they have

A BLOCKADE ON.

SIX CRUISERS ARE LYING OFF SPANISH PORTS.

teamers Being Fitted Out at Valencia and Barcelona as Privateers-Spanish Board of Inquiry Reports the Explosion Internal

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] BERLIN, March 9.-[Exclusive Disatch.] Six United States cruisers are lying off the coast of Spain, blockading the ports. The situation is such that war cannot be averted. Spain has at Valencia and Barcelona steamers ready for sea being fitted as privateers They will operate with the Spanish fleet of torpedo-boats.

It is declared that the Maine was s overloaded with explosives that the catastrophe ensued. The Spanish government is said to have in its possession a letter, written by a Spanish sailor on board the Maine, who said that on entering the harbor the ship was cleared for action and the guns

SPANISH BOARD'S FINDING. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] NEW YORK, March 9.-[Exclusive

Dispatch.] The Journal says: "HAVANA, March 9 .- The Spanish oard of inquiry cabled tonight to the Minister of Marine in Madrid that the investigation of the wreck of the battleship up to this time shows conclusively that 'the upper part of the Maine was blown upward, and the hull collapsed through the force of internal

ALL EXCEPT TWO

European Governments Generally Favorable to the United States.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Journal says: "The State Department has in its possession cable assurances from every Minister detailed to represent the United States abroad, with the exception of the German and Austrian representatives, that this country's course in the Cuban question meets with the unqualified approval of the governments to which the Ministers are assigned.

SAGASTA'S MINISTRY COOL. They Take a "Common-sense View" of the Situation. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, March 10 .- A dispatch "Some people thought the Cabine Council held Wednesday afternoon and evening would develop something sen-sational, but nothing of the kind occurred. The Ministers took a cois nothing new. All is peaceful and calm. The official and general worlds marked lack of emotion, which is more significant than much noise, while at the same time there is a strong under-current of feeling that merely means

that America must be prepared for the worst, but War is not necessary. The Bourse took a pessimistic view on the endless false rumors, the principal one of which is that the Spanish Charge d'Affaires at Washington has, been handed his passports."

FOR SANITARY REASONS. The President May Have to Interfere in Cuba.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.) CHICAGO. March 9 .- The Post's Washington special says: "If fore-bodings based on scientific advices as to the sanitary conditions in Cuba are half-realized, there will be a new and strong reason for American tervention in Cuban affairs, which has not yet been broached, and it is that peace must be restored in order protect the people of the United States from the danger of epidemics. It is believed by the officials of the Marine Hospital service, and by experienced naval officials who are acquainted with the conditions, that quainted with the conditions, that Cuba will be overrun by a devastating epidemic of yellow fever during the coming summer. If the disease should assume a form as desperately bad as anticipated, nothing but a miracle could prevent it from being communicated to the large American cities along the Atlantic coast, and thence to the interior. A member of the administration said today that the President may find himself obliged to interfere for purely sanitary reasons."

SENSATIONAL RESOLUTIONS.

Read at a Meeting for Raising Ma rines' Monument Funds.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, March 9.-Representative citizens met in the council chamber in response to an invitation extended by the Mayor, to discuss plans for raising a fund to be used in erecting a monument in Washington or An-napolis for the seamen and marines who were lost on the Maine. The Mayor was authorized by the meeting to appoint an Executive Committee of twenty-five, to devise plans for raising

twenty-five, to devise plans for raising the funds. Judge Tuthill read a set of resolutions giving expression that the sentiment that the best monument to the sallors of the Maine would be to free Cuba.

Reading of the resolutions caused a stir. Ex-Judge William Prentiss seconded the motion to adopt the resolutions. There was a moment of hesitancy and then ex-Judge Lorin C. Collins, who was in the chair, ruled: "A motion to refer takes precedence of one to adopt. All was are in favor of referring the resolution say 'aye."

There were half a dozen yeas, and as many more nays, the majority of those present refraining from voting and

Chairman Coilins declared the resolu-tion referred to the committee, to be appointed by the Mayor. The Mayor is expected to appoint the Executive Committee tomorrow.

ARIZONA PLEDGES SUPPORT.

Telegram from Acting Govern Akers to the President. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PHOÉNIX (Ariz.,) March 9.ollowing telegram was sent to President today, signed by Charles H. kers, Acting Governor of Arizona "Arizona people, regardless of

litical faiths, unite in congratulating you upon your firm, conservative and patriotic course in the present trying situation between the United States situation between the United States and Spain. In the event of an emergency, we beg to be remembered in the call for assistance, assuring you of the patriotic enthusiasm of all our citizens, who will willingly shoulder their muskets in support of the nation's honor, should that be called in question,"

NAVAL MOVEMENTS.

Watched With Interest-Stenographer's Return.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, March 9.—Naval

movements, no matter how insignifi-cant, are now watched with unusual interest, in view of their possible connection with the plans of the govern-ment for the naval defense in event of an outbreak of hostilities. Consequently the arrival of the gunboat Machias at Norfolk this morning gave rise to all sorts of speculation. As a rise to all sorts of speculation. As a matter of fact, this vessel, which has just concluded a three-year's cruise on the Asiatic station, was ordered home about two months ago, long before the present situation had reached anything like an acute stage. She made the voyage in a leisurely manner by way of the Suez Canal, and the Mediterranean Sea, and made an uninterrupted run from Funchal, Madeira Islands, to Hampton Roads, consuming about seventeen days on her trip.

She is said to be in need of a thorough overhauling, and undoubtedly will be docked for that purpose. In case she should be needed, however, it would not take very long to put her in condition for actual service. Inasmuch as there is no apparent necessity for re-

tion for actual service. Inasmuch as there is no apparent necessity for re-inforcing the already formidable fleet in the vicinty of Key West, it is more than likely that the Machias will re-main where she is for some time to

The gunboat Castine of the South Atlantic station, which recently went to St. Lucia in the Windward Islands for the purpose of receiving slight re-pairs, left that port yesterday for Bar-

for the purpose of receiving slight repairs, left that port yesterday for Barbadoes.

The Cincinnati, flagship of the South Atlantic station, is also at the latter port, and it is expected that both vessels will remain there for the present, awaiting a decision of the department as to whether they shall return to the South Atlantic stations or come to the United States for such service as may be required of them in the event of an outbreak of hostilities.

Inasmuch as the return to Washington of Mr. Hulz, who acted as one of the stenographers of the court of inquiry at Key West, has been made the basis for the assumption that he brought to the Secretary of the Neva report from the court and also that he gave the Secretary what purported to be the conclusions of the court as to the cause of the Maine disaster, it may be stated by authority of the Secretary that he has not seen nor communicated with Hulz since the latter's return, nor does he expect to do so. So far as can be gathered, Hulz left the court of inquiry because it had no longer need of his services. There was more than one stenographer employed by the court at the time when it was deemed essential to make haste in taking the testimony of the survivors of the wreck in the early stages. When that had been done, it was possible to proceed before the court with less stenographic assistance and Hulz was allowed to return to Washington.

CARLOADS OF "WAR."

CARLOADS OF "WAR." [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] loads of war material for Galveston and three big 10-inch guns, bound for and three big 10-inch guns, bound for Pensacola, passed through Atlanta tonight. In the Galveston consignment were four steel mortars weighing 117,000 pounds, and two carloads of gunpowder. The big guns for Pensacola weigh 67,000 pounds each. All of the way bills for these instruments of war are marked "rush."

AN OUTBREAK BREWING.

AMERICANS IN HAVANA ARE NOT

Colunteers Continue Insulting and Aggressive, and in the Event of Trouble it Would not Be Possible for Blanco to Contro

NEW YORK, March 9.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A Havana special to the Sun says that an outbreak against Americans is brewing, and it would be mpossible to control the who continue insulting and aggressive

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

Leaders of the Former Revolt Work

ing on Foreign Powers.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] NEW YORK, March 9 .- [Exclusive Dispatch.] Hongkong advices say the rebellion in the Philippines is true, notwithstanding the denials. The lead-ers of the former revolt are gathering in Paris to interest some European power in the islands' independence.

NOTES FROM BRITAIN.

Stock Market Less Feverish-Spain' Purchases Denied. TASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.1

NEW YORK, March 9.-A dispatch to the Tribune from London says the stock market is less feverish, but without any decided return of confi-dence in the American list. The sitnation in America was regarded in the street as more pacific since the with-drawal of the demand for the recall of menace of war. National defense bills are always considered in England as peace measures, and this is the interpretation placed here on the vote of a credit of \$50,000,000. There is little comment in the process. Gen. Lee removed the most alarming

are always considered in England as peace measures, and this is the interpretation placed here on the vote of a credit of \$50,000,000. There is little comment in the press on the prospect of war, but what there is of it is friendly to America.

The rumored purchase by Spain of six warships now in English and French dockyards is repeated, with a series of denials from all the legations inverseted. It is probable that the refusal of these vessels has been obtained, but there is still some uncertainty respecting their delivery. Only two of them can be ready for sea within a month, and the completion of the remaining four will require from three to nine months. The purchase of these vessels, if effected, will indicate whether the Spanish consider war likely to occur within two or within nine months, for no ship not finished before the outbreak of hostilities can be delivered by any neutral country.

The Manchester Guardian announces

that Mr. Goschen may announce the purchase of several of these ships for England. The Spanish government undoubtedly has money available in London for buying war vessels, if she can get them. United States naval cessed by naval and diplomatic om-cers relates to the coal supply of the belligerents from neutral ports. During the war of 1870 large quantities of coal were exported from England to France, although Bismarck protested against it. If the same practice were repeated, English coal could be shipped to Havana for the use of the Spanish feet in time of war, moreover, while

to Havana for the use of the Spanish fleet in time of war, moreover, while it would be a breach of neutrality to convert Massau, Kingston, or other British West Indian ports into regular coaling stations for the Spanish fleet, the opinion of some experts here is that any belligerent ship entering neutral waters can obtain sufficient coal to carry her to the nearest harbor under her own flag. Coal is as essential as powder or guns to naval warfare, but the neutrality practice respecting it has not been settled, even by the Geneva award.

SPAIN GETS A LOAN. SPAIN GETS A LOAN. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 9.—The New York correspondent saw in the House of Commons lobby the head of one of the largest and best-known ship-building firms on the Clyde, who

said:
"I know positively that Spain is hunting not only for cruisers, but for eight fast steamships, which are to be converted into unarmored cruisers, and fitted with quick-firing guns. She has been on the lookout for vessels for several weeks, but the difficulty, of course, is lack of money. No British shipbuilder would permit her to remove any craft without prepayment in full. shipbuilder would permit her to remove any craft without prepayment in full.
"I have also just heard that her contemplated purchases which have been hanging fire for financial reasons, are about being completed, as the Stanish government has made arrangements, for a loan through Foulds bank of Paris, with a French syndicate. Sentiment as well as self-interest prempts France to assist Spain against the United States, and France is he only European country where Spain stands the slightest chance of obtaining financial help."

MONEY FOR SHIPS. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 9.- A special to the Herald from Washington says: "It is known that the authorities expect to is known that the authorities expect to spend \$15,000,000 or \$20,00,000 in purchasing ships, if such a sum can be spent judiclously and to the advantage of this government. Secretary Lang admitted that he has a list of vessels prepared which Commander Brownson will inspect particularly, and which this government hope to acquire, but he declined to make it public."

TORPEDO-BOAT DESTROYERS. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
GLASGOW, March 9.—The Spanish torpedo-boat destroyers Osado Audaz left the Clyde Bank this ernoon, fully manned and with all their guns and other armament on board They will embark the ammunition tomorrow at Greenock, and will sail or Saturday. At their trials they devel-oped a speed of thirty knots. SPANISH REINFORCEMENTS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] MADRID, March 9 .- It became kno fonso XII sailed for Cuba from Barce lona Saturday last, having on board 800 soldiers, four officers and 4,000,000 Mauser cartridges.

KEY WEST ITEMS.

ADMIRAL SICARD'S HEALTH SOURCE OF ANXIETY.

Well-informed Officers Say it is Only a Question of Time Ere He is Relieved of Responsibility-Two More Bodies Found at Havana.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] KEY WEST (Fla.,) March 9 .- The British cruiser Cordelia of the North Atlantic squadron arrived here this afternoon from Balize, British Honduras. No special significance attaches to her coming, as her mail has been awaiting her here for the last three weeks, and the United States officials were notified some time ago of her intended visit. The Cordelia is out equal in fighting capacity to the

The Mallory liner Nueces arrived here today with 6026 packages of the pro-visions for the starving Cubans and 820 cases of ammunition. She was moored to the government dock, and the work of discharging her cargo was begun at once. The ammunition was transferred to the Marblehead, and will be taken without delay to the Tortugas for distribution among the warships there.

The dispatch boat Fern is hourly expected from Havana. On her arrival the provisions will be put on board and The Iowa's sailing has been delayed. will not leave for the Tortugas until tomorrow morning. According to the present programme she will coal there and then return here. This afternoon the Nashville towed a coal barge out to the New York. The Detroit re-mains in the harbor. Tomorrow the torpedo boat Porter will leave for the Tortugas with mail for the fleet. She

ered from the wreck, according to advices from Havana. Any that may be found hereafter will be brought to Key West on the lighthouse tender Man-grove instead of the Bache.

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The fleet at the Tortugas remained stationary today. Among the recent rumors was one that Rear Admiral Sicard had been relieved of the com Sicard had been relieved of the command. This, however, is denied, although Admiral Sicard declines to discuss the probabilities of his resignation or the condition of his health. Well-informed officers say it is only a question of a short time when he will be relieved of the severe responsibility now resting upon him. Today he looked more harassed than at any time pre-

FORESTALLING SPAIN. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY ERPORT.]

LONDON, March 9.—The indications are that the United States government will not wait for the arrival here of Commander Willard H. Brownson in order to purchase warships. Definite offers have already been made for ships building here with the view of forestalling Spain, who is supposed to be bargaining for the same vessels. FRIGHTENING UNCLE SAM.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HILADELPHIA, March 9.—Charles H. Cramp, head of the great ship-building firm, says there is a deliberate attempt under way to frighten the United States into buying ships it does not need and could not use them. He said:

of adventurers, who are trying to get big commissions by helping English and German shipbuilders to unload on the United States a number of unsailable vessels, which they have built either on speculation or under contracts with various second-rate powers that are not able to pay for them. Such syndicates are always formed at the beginning of all threatened wars. "Briefly, this scheme is a conspiracy on the part of certain shipping operators in this country and England to take advantage of the existing situation to force the hand of Congress and the administration."

SPAIN DID NOT BUY.

SPAIN DID NOT BUY. WASHINGTON, March 9.—The ad-ninistration has definite information from a source regarded as beyond question that Spain has not purchased the two Brazilian cruisers Barbaso and

BROWNSON'S MISSION. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

BROWNSON'S MISSION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, March 9.—Commander W. H. Brownson, U.S.N., sailed for Southampton on the American-line steamer St. Paul today. He said to a reporter: "I am going to England under orders directly of the Navy Department, not from the President. My mission is to prepare for the exigencies of the situation, and to see what can be had and what can be done in case of war, the possibilities of which I think are very remote. The vote of \$50,000,000 shows our readiness to enter upon vigorous preparations, and that, in itself. will have the effect of making war unlikely. I may be absent a month and perhaps longer. I expect to be two weeks in London, but I cannot tell where I shall go after leaving England."

The commander's attention was called to the published statements that foreign shipbuilders are trying to sell their poorer stock to the United States. "You may rest assured," said he "that they won't sell me any trash." Charles H. Cramp, the shipbuilder, also salled on the St. Paul. He was going abroad, he said, on a business trip."

FEWER SIGNS OF HASTE.

FEWER SIGNS OF HASTE. were fewer signs of excitement and were fewer signs of excitement and haste at the War and Navy Departments today, and preparations being mede toward putting the army and navy into efficient condition are now going on with more method and less exhibition of the feverish spirit of apprehension that characterized the proceedings of the last few days. There is a general expression of belief that, is a general expression of belief that for the time at least, there is no pro pect of a hostile collision, and that what seemed to be a crisis has safely

passed.

Secretary Long paid several short visits to the White House during the day. Secretary Day was among the callers there and Secretary Alger went over from the War Department to see the President, all of which led to the surmise that a special Cabinet meeting was likely to be held. But it turned out that these visits were not preout that these visits were not pre-arranged, and were connected only with matters of business pending before the respective departments represented by

he secretaries.
In the Navy Department the officials were devoting their attention largely to the fitting out of the triple-screw cruisers Minneapolis and Columbia. Both of these fine ships are in excel-lent condition and can go into service in an incredibly short time.

OFFICERS FOR CRUISERS.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
WASHINGTON March 9.—The detail of officers to command the cruisers Columbia and Minneapolis were au-nounced at the Navy Department tonounced at the Navy Department and day. The detail for the Columbia is as follows: Capt. J. H. Sands, to command the vessel, with Lieut. J. H. Moore, detached from the navy yard washington, as executive officer;

mand the vessel, with Lieut. J. H. Moore, detached from the navy yard at Washington, as executive officer; Lieut. J. F. Parker, detached as supervisor, New York Harbor; Lieut. H. G. Stafford, Lieut. W. J. Maxwell, Ensign G. W. Williams, Ensign J. E. Pringle, Paymaster L. C. Bogg, Passed Assistant Engineers W. H. Smith and W. H. McGramm, Acting Boatswain A. Omasen and Surgeon C. G. Horndon.

For the Minneapolis the detail is as follows: Capt. F. T. Jewell, detached as inspector in charge of the Tenth Lighthouse District; Lieut. G. T. Emmons, Lieut. E. E. Wright, Lieut. W. P. White, Ensign C. D. Stearns, Ensign J. L. Stichl, Paymaster L. C. Kerr, Passed Assistant Engineers A. Maritz and L. M. Nulton, Acting Boatswain W. Brooks, Surgeon N. H. Drake. NEW ARTILLERY REGIMENTS.

WASHINGTON, March 9.-Work in blocking out the two new regiments of artillery authorized by Congress is now under way in the War Depart-Lieut.-Cols. Edward B. Williston and William Sinclair, who will be advanced to the grade of colonels, will advanced to the grade of colonels, will have command of the Sixth and Seventh regiments, respectively, while Majs. Wallace F. Randolph and Tully McCrea, who will be advanced to the rank of lieutenant-colonels, will take the places held by Williston and Sinclair, in the Third and Fifth Artillery, respectively. Gen. Miles has about finally decided to locate the headquarters of the two regiments at Forts Slocum and Wadsworth, New York, although the determination regarding the latter place is open to change.

PAUNCEFOTE SURPRISED. PAUNCEFOTE SURPRISED.

WASHINGTON, March 9 .- Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador, expressed himself as surprised today at the reports that his recent visits to the White House and the State Departthe White House and the State Department had some reference to the Spanish situation. The ambassador reiterated what Judge Day has already stated, that the calls had no reference in any way to Spanish affairs. There has been no move of any character on the part of the British government in connection with the Spanish crisis, at least so far as the British Embassy is aware.

SIGSBEE REPORTS. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT 1 WASHINGTON, March 9.-The Navy Department, at 3 o'clock, received a dispatch from Capt. Sigsbee at Hayana, saying: "Montgomery arrived. Salutes were exchanged." EIGHTEEN THOUSAND SOLDIERS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SPRINGFIELD (Ill.,) March Maj.-Gen. Kadesky, commander-in-chief of the Uniform Rank Catholic Knights of America, stated to an Associated Press reporter that of the 25,000 members of the organization, all well-drilled, 18,000 men could be put in the field in twenty-four hours, in case of war.

ITALIANS FEVERISH.

Grinding Out War Stuff for the Spaniards' Benefit, [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 10 .- A dispatch

to the World from Rome says:
"There is feverish activity in the Italian government manufactories of arms and ammunition at Turin, Florence and Naples. After idleness since the end of the African campaign, they are now running overtime. The World's correspondent learns on authority that large attempt under way to frighten the United States into buying ships it does not need and could not use them. He said:

"This clamor about buying warships abroad is all instigated by a syndicate and selling the old ones to intermed

traders, who would hand them over to the Spanish authorities.

"Spain has depended largely on Italy latterly for arms. There is at is moment an order with the Italian branch of the Armstrong-Elswick Company, which has a foundry near Naples, to furnish two 12-inch guns for the Cristobal Colon, which was built in Genoa. Spain is said to be negotiating for the purchase of a heavily-armored cruiser which is nearing completion at Genoa.

NO FRENCH LOAN.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 10.—A dispatch the Herald from Paris says: "Nothng is known here of Spain contracting

ing is known here of Spain contracting a loan in Paris. The rumor was entirely without foundation."

The Temps publishes a dispatch from Havre, stating that the fitting out of the Spanish armored cruiser Carlos Quinto is being pushed forward rapidly. A high powered 11-inch gun has just been mounted in the forward armorciad turret. A similar gun will be placed in the after turret.

FROM THE QUEEN.

MESSAGE OF SYMPATHY GRATIFICATION.

Why Pauncefote Called at the White House-Expressions Which Were not Sent in Formal Shape-Vic-

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WASHINGTON, March 9,-Much con jecture has been indulged in touching the visit paid the White House by the British Ambassador. The Washing-ton Post this (Thursday,) morning says

Victoria has, through Sin

Julian Pauncefote, conveyed to President McKinley her gratification at the wise and conservative course which he has thus far pursued in relation to the Cuban and Spanish situation She also expressed to him her thorough sympathy with the efforts put forth by the United States to relieve officing humanity in Cuba, with the ducted to a successful conclusion with out war. These expressions were not sent in official form. They would have been communicated through (Mr. Hay, the United States Ambassador to Great Britain, but for the fact that he

is absent on a voyage on the Nile.
"The desire of the Queen that war should be avoided was emphasized for several reasons. It was pointed out too extensive to be jeopardized by a war between this country and Spain.
"The reply of the President expressed

his pleasure at the utterance of the Queen, with the additional statement that he also hoped that war could be averted. Public announcement of the real purpose of the Ambassador's visit has been avoided, and a denial of the fact that it had relations to the present crisis has been made, because it was feared that the friendly utterances might be misconstrued.

"There was another reason, how ever, which had it weight in the di-rection of secrecy. The (attitude of Great Britain goes further in this matter than mere expression of good wishes. There is a desire, which has yet only reached the stage of tentative suggestion, that an alliance may be formed between Great Britain and the United States. It has shown that the interests of England are not only identical in a general sense, but are especially identical in the great question in finding in China and the East a market for manufactures. This suggestion has considerable weight with he administration. Great Britain is finding her supremacy in China ser-iously threatened. If England proposes to hold her own, she must fight for it. This explains why she is forbidding her shipowners to part with the vessels they are constructing, and accounts for the large increases she is making

"It was the suggestion that if the cal subjects. I shall prob United States would afford to Great mediately to Washington."

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"A dispatch from the United States Consul at San Juan. Porto Rico, states that the inauguration of the Cabinet and the ceremony of declaring auton-omy in effect in that island occurred on the 18th uit. He says the whole day was one of great manifestation of joy, and the whole population seemed to be happy over the thought that home rule' at last had been granted Ports Piec."

The War Department is arranging The War Department is arranging to secure a large supply of the most modern rifles sufficient in time of emergency to arm a force of 500,000 men. The need of these modern guns has long been apparent, but Congress has not shown a disposition to supply any reserve of rifles for use by a volunteer force in time of war. Now, however, an adequate supply of the most ever, an adequate supply of the most effective rifles will be among the uses to which the War Department will put its share of the defense fund. It was stated by high officials of the department today that no board was

necessary to inquire into the merits of the various guns on the market, but that the department would turn to the best sources of supply. These, it is said, are ample within the United States to turn out rifles of the most approved pattern as fast as the govern nent wants them. It is not unlikely, nowever, that the department will re-quire the army to turn from the Krag-orgensen rifle now in use, and adopt in part at least, one of the American-made guns. Gen. Miles strongly favors the "straight-pull gun." It is of American make, and has been adopted by the British government as the stan-dard arm, a million being now in the hands of British soldiers. Gen Miles recommended its adoption eighteen years ago when a member of a board for the choice of a rifle. He continued his advocacy of it, and in view of his ranking positon in the army, his view will have much weight. This gun is used by the United States navy, and this is being urged as another point in its favor, as the reserve supply would available for either branch of the

government service.
The Ordnance Bureau of the War Department has control of the letting Department has control of the letting of contracts for rifles, small arms, etc. The officials of the bureau observe great reticence, feeling that the publication of what they are doing would prejudice the interests of the government. But the closing of contracts is almost a question of time, for the heads almost a question of time, for the heads of departments are agreed that these supplies are the first to be secured.

Like attention is being given to sup-

plies of powder, cartridges, etc., for the army. Those in authority say or ders can be filled without delay, and that about the only branch of ordnance on which the facilities are not

ister, said today that he had received no information as to the reported negotiations toward the purchase of Brazilian warships, now in course of construction in foreign yards. In other official quarters the impression is growing that there is better pros-pect of securing ships now building for Argentina and Chile. Brazil has been active of late in building up her navy, and there is doubt as to her willingness to part with any of the ships now building for her. These include two ironclads building at the Armstrong yards, two ironclads at La Sienne, France, and three torpedo-boat catchers at Stettin, Germany. Consider-able payments have been made on these, and they have become largely

the property of Brazil.

It is claimed, however, that the report of a treaty between Brazil and Chile, which would prevent either from selling a ship unless the other sold one at the same time, is er-

MILES CONFERS WITH ALGER. Discusses the Disposal of the Funds Appropriated.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 9.—A special to he Herald from Washington says faj.-Gen. Miles conferred with Secre-ary Alger on the general situation, and discussed with him particularly the redistribution of the artillery and plans of the expenditure of the portion of the expected appropriation of \$50,-000,000 in the purchase of ordnance and ammunition. of the expected appropriation of \$50,000,000 in the purchase of ordnance and
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"We do not know how much of the new appropriation the President will decide to allot to the War Department, but it is not likely that any definite apportionment will be made to each department, but expenditures of different amounts will be authorized according to the necessity of the situation. No new contracts have yet been made by the department in view of the new appropriation, but many large ones are under consideration for rapid-fire and large-caliber seacoast guns, ammunition, etc. Some of these contracts will be for ordnance ready to hand and others for supplies to be manufactured. Representatives of the most important ordnance manufacturers were at the department today, and important contracts will be awarded in a day or two. "All the preparations which will be made will, in all probability, be no greater than the department would have made long ago if we had had adquate appropriations. The War Department alone could easily and economically spend the entire \$50,000,000 in putting the country on merely a substantial peace footing. It can be stated that every dollar that the President feels instified in allotting to the country of the country of the sea.

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"The foreign situation is confessedly serious, but whatever may be the outcome we shall improve our opportunities to be prepared to meet any emergency. The action of Congress is encouraging, as showing the substantial support on which the administration can count in the hour of necessity."

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WATERTOWN (Mass.,) March 9,-Beginning this morning, the great machine shops of the Watertown Arsenal will be operated eighteen hours a day. These orders arrived at the post last

GENERAL LEE SAFE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

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RUSH ORDERS CARRIED OUT. PORTSMOUTH, (N. H.) March 9.

the rush orders which have been received to arm the fortifications at New Castle. The floating derrick, Trilby, arrived today from Boston and will at once begin the removal of the heavy guns from the cars, to the forts at the mouth of the river.

An extra force of men are at work at the fort making preparations for the mounting of the guns. The schooner George Berry arrived at the navy-yard today with amunition for the U.S.S. Alliance and for any other ships which may be sent here to outfit. The schooner's cargo was at once removed schooner's cargo was at once removed to the magazines of the Alliance and those on shore.

BRYAN IS GLAD. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] ATLANTA (Ga.,) March 9.-Willia ATLANTA (Ga.,) March 9.—William J. Bryan spent a few hours in Atlanta today on his way to Macon, where he spoke tonight. When asked his opinion as regarding the action of Congress in placing \$50,000,000 at the President's disposal for the national defense, Mr. Bryan said: "I am glad the House acted prompily and unanimously. In fact, if might have been better to have made it a hundred million, to show the world that Congress and the American people, without regard to support the administration in any action necessary for the protection of the honor and welfare of the nation."

SINEWS OF WAR.

THAT FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS
HAS DEEP SIGNIFICANCE.

gress Appropriated it, but Bears Believe That it Will Be Needed Spain Gets Aid from Austria.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES. 1 NEW YORK, March 9.- [Exclusive the passage of the \$50,000,000 bill. The bears, however, insist that the admin istration cannot accept money for the Maine, and that Spanish treachery will be shown in the reports. Congress will then take possession of the situation, and war must follow.

AID FOR SPAIN. A Loan of Ten Million Dollars from Austria. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS. March 9 .- [Exclusive Dispatch.] The report that Fould's Bank here is aiding Spain is not officially confirmed, but it is thought to be true, fully up to an emergency demand are those of heavy fortification guns.

Señor Mendonca, the Brazilian Mintia has loaned Spain \$10,000,000, as evitia has loaned Spain dence of friendship, but that the aid will go no further.

ARRIVES AT HAVANA.

NEAR THE MAINE'S WRECK.

ficers Will Take Up Their Quar-ters on Board-The Court of Inquiry Examines the Divers.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] HAVANA, March, 9.—The arrival of the Montgomery was very quiet, it being generally understood that she comes to replace the coast-survey comes to replace the coast-survey steamer Fern as quarters for Capt. Sigsbee and others.

Commander Converse of the Montgomery is a high authority on explo-sives, and his advice will be useful sives, and his advice will be treful to the court of inquiry into the less of the Maine. After firing the usual salute and being saluted in return, the Montgomery was moored in the principal harbor near the wreck of the Maine and in the center of a circle of Spanish ships.

Later in the day Commander Converse received the Associated Press.

SIGSBEE'S HEALTH FAILING.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 9 .- A dispatch o the Herald from Havana says that Capt. Sigsbee has not communicated Capt. Sigsbee has not communicated with Washington regarding his recall, but is nevertheless anxious to wind up his work and get away. His health is gradually failing since the Maine's destruction, and now that the excitement no longer sustains him, he fears collapse. His case is not serious, but he seldom appears in the city now, feeling unable to get about. He remains aboard the Fern most of the time.

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The Diario la Marina declares that Lieut. Blandin talked so freely as to make himself objectionable to Madrid and Washington. The same newspaper continues: "It is to the interest of this government that the court of inquiry be explicit in its finding, and that for the court to say the explosion was due to unknown causes will be unsatisfactory. It must say whether the explosion was due to external or internal causes. The same paper intimates that Spain may expect the United States to demand heavy indemnity."

Kinley Tuesday, offered Great Britain's mediation in the Cuban affair, or asked the support of the United States for British policy in the Far East. "Sir Julian," says the correspondent, "conveyed to President McKinley informally the Queen's personal satisfaction at his conservative course, and an expression of her sympathy with the efforts to relieve starvation in Cuba."

HAWAII'S SYMPATHY DISASTER TO THE MAINED OFFICIALLY NOTICED.

THE MAGIC WIRE.

FOR ELECTRIC CABLES.

Calls Attention of Secretary Alger to the Fact That Congress Has Made No Provision for Connect-ing Fortifications on Lines of

TASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.1 WASHINGTON, March 9.—Gen Greeley, chief signal officer, has writ-

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Gen. Greeley, chief signal officer, has written the following letter to the Secretary of War, who has forwarded it to Chairman Cannon of the House Committee on Appropriations:

"To the honorable Secretary of Warsir. The estimate of \$20,000 for cables to connect electrically the fortifications in the harbors of New York, Boston and Philadelphia, has been omitted from the Sundry Civil Bill as reported by the House of Representatives. The chief signal officer would be derelict in his duty did he not call the attention of the Secretary of Warto the necessity of urging upon the Senate such an appropriation. For several consecutive years the chief signal officer has unavailingly recommended the importance of this matter, reciting the fact that some of our most important defenses can only be reached by messenger.

"The destruction of the military cables between Alcatraz, Angel Island and the mainland long since left the fortifications in San Francisco Harbor isolated and entirely unconnected electrically, and Fort Warren in Boston Harbor is also without reach by telegraph or telephone. In New York Harbor it is true that several posts can communicate with each other over circuitous commercial routes, but such compilicated methods, inadequate in

complicated methods, inadequate in peace even, would inevitably break down in case of actual hostilities. These estimates have been recommended both by you and former Secretaries of War; have been repeatedly

mended both by you and former Secretaries of War; have been repeatedly urged as military necessities by the commanding generals of the departments affected, and have been heartily approved by the commanding generals of the army.

"Never more than today have time and cooperation been more potent elements either in the industries of peace or the art of war. In this busy world the most acute minds of the country are applying themselves to the development of speedy and increased communication, especially through electrical devices, and the failure of any country to utilize in this direction the highest inventive skill, must materially lessen its chance of success in war. In every other country of the world the entire system of harbor defenses for each port is connected electrically, so that not only is intercommunication and the transmission of orders constantly maintained, but the fire control and the direction of the defense rest under one master mind.

"It must seem hardly, credible to either business men or to experts that Congress, after authorizing a system of coast defenses to cost millions of dollars, should for years refuse to connect the military forts around the great cities of New York, Boston and

nect the military forts around the great cities of New York, Boston and San Francisco, either electrically or tel-San Francisco, either electrically or telephonically. In critical emergencies, such as arise in all defenses, military operations at these points would, under existing conditions, be necessarily conducted without concert or unison, thus needlessly jeopardizing lives by the thousands and property to the value of bundreds of millions of dollars.

"The present situation is parallel to that which would exist if our great cities, after spending tens of thousands of dollars in thoroughly establishing a fire department, should refuse to install therwith an electrical system and

stall therwith an electrical system and insist that alarms of fire should be sent either by messenger or by the nearest commercial telegraph lines. Very re-

FOLLOW THE LEADER.

CASE OF IRRIGATION COMPANY VS

To Abide by Results in Case of Same Company vs. Gutierrez Unless the Latter Compromise-Will Then Proceed to Final Deter-

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] [Exclusive Dispatch.] in the infunction suit of the Albuquerque Land and Ir-rigation Company vs. the Indians of the Sandia Pueblo et al., the attorneys for the opposing parties in the District Court today agreed on a number of Court today agreed on a number of stipulations, to the effect that the present case shall abide by the result of the case of the company against T. C.

Everything that is done in the latter case is to be considered as done in the former, with the exception that if compromise be agreed upon between theparties in the case against Gutier rez et al., the present case shall pro-ceed to final determination notwith-standing such compromise.

The Indians are represented by the Indian Agent at Santa Fc, and will cast every obstacle possible in the way of the construction of the low-line irriof the construction of the low-line irri-gation canal. This is a very important matter, as it affects the construction of improved canals throughout Indian reservations, and the decision of Judge Crumpacker in the pending case will be watched with interest by everybody in the Southwest. A. Grant of San Francisco and Los Angeles is president of the company.

LOST HER PURSE.

Mrs. Edgett of New York Loses Handbag With a Goodly Sum At a late hour last night J. N. Edgett of New York City reported to the police the loss of his wife's handsatchel,

which contained a purse with about \$150 in currency in it.

Edgett stated that he and his wife Edgett stated that he and his wife went to Pasadena yesterday afternoon, and after "taking in" the town went into a store to buy souvenirs of Southern California. His wife paid for the purchases from her purse and that is the last she or he remembers of purse or handbag, in which the former was carried.

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DISASTER TO THE MAINE

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FLAG HALF-MASTED

KAIULANDS' GUARDIAN MAKES

Senate at Washington Takes Up the Treaty in Executive Session-Mr. Bacon's Amendment-Cruiser Olympia.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HONOLULU, March 1.-[Wired from San Francisco, March 9.] The Ha-waiian Legislature has adopted a joint resolution extending its deep anearnest sympathy to the United States in the great loss of life sustained by the destruction of the cruiser Mai in the harbor of Havana, February 1

in the harbor of Havana, February 15 last, and, at the suggestion of Senator McCandless, the flag over the executive building was placed at half-mast as a mark of sympathy.

T. H. Davies, guardian of Princess Kalulani, has addressed an open letter to the Hawakians, in which he proposes to abandon all further hope of a monarchy for the islands, and maintain a republic, conditionally upon the cessation of all further work for annexation on the part of American residents of the islands. This proposition, however, does not meet with the approval of 6ther the natives or Americans.

Bacon's Amendment to Be Considered-Davis's Plans.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, March 9 .- Acting

WASHINGTON, March 3.—Acting in accordance with the instructions of the Committee on Foreign Relations. Senator Davis today moved an executive session of the Senate for the purpose of taking up the Hawailan annexation treaty. After some nominations had been considered, he moved that the treaty be taken up, and that the Senate should proceed to the consideration of the amendment offered by Senator Bacon, providing for the submission of the treaty to a vote of the electors of Hawaii. This amendment is as follows:

"That this act shall not be operative and of binding effect upon either the United States or the republic of Hawaii, until the same shall have been consented to and approved by the majority of the voters voting at an election to be held in the Hawaiian Islands, at which election all male natives of said islands of the age of 21 years, and all naturalized male persons of the said islands, of the age of 21 years, shall be duly qualified voters. The said election shall be held at a time and in the manner and under regulations to be prescribed by the President of the United States."

Senator Bacon objected to immediate consideration of his amendment, saying he had received no notice of the intention of the committee to ask to have it taken up at this time, and that he desired some opportunity to prepare himself for the presentation of the reasons for submitting the treaty to popular vote of the Hawaiian people. He proceeded to say in a general way that he thought the Hawaiians should be consulted in a matter which concerned them so deeply as the complete change of their government, and to show that they were opposed to annexation he referred to a petition protesting against annexation, which had been signed by 30,000 natives of the islands, and which, he said, had been presented to the Senate by Senator Hoar. He referred to the Massachusetts Senator's attitude in reference to the treaty, and said that it must have changed since his presentation of the presentation of the presentation that there was not prepa

popular desire that the Senate should adjourn after the passage of the \$50,000,000 defense bill, he would again, to-morrow, if opportunity offered, move an executive session of the Senate for the purpose of going on with the treaty, and that he would pursue these tactics from day to day so far as time would permit. would permit.

The Senate then adjourned until to

MOVING THE BOATS.

TASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.1 SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.-Th battleship Oregon arrived here this morning from Puget Sound, and an-chored in the harbor. It is reported that the protected cruiser Olympia, now on duty at the Asiatic station, has been ordered to proceed to Honolulu from the Orient on the 15th of this onth, and remain there until further month, and remain there until further orders are received from the department. It is expected, however, that the vessel will be sent orders to return to San Francisco by the next steamer for Hawaii. The criuser Baltimore will leave Honolulu for the Aslatic station

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The Olympia and Baltimore will be in port at Honolulu for some days before the latter sails for the Asiatic

SIBERIAN OUTLAWS. Said to Be With Russian Troops a

PASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.1 VANCOUVER (B. C.,) March 9.-Oriental advices says that the Liao Tong province is in great alarm, and many rumors are affoat of a Russian invasion and capture by Russian troops of a vast territory in China.

The stories arose over the fact that Chinese are fleeing from this province leaving their homes unprotected, ewing to the advance of 50,000 Russian troops

to the advance of 50,000 Russian troops through the territory, while the 5000 Chinese troops left to guard that section of the country can scarcely be kept from throwing down their arms.

The Russians who have crossed the border are divided into three corps, one corps containing 3000 Siberian outlaws, who are given a chance to leave the mines and serve in the army without pay.

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be non-concurred in. The other three amendments related to the opening of the Uncompander reservation, the rati-fication of the Klowa, Comanche and Apache treaties, and the establishment of homesteads.

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In regard to the-dirst of these, the conferees, he said, had agreed to concur in the Senate amendment, permitting the leasing of mineral lands in the Uncompangre reservation. It was desired to concur in the amendment ratifying the treaties and to nonconcur in the free-homestead amendment.

WHAT THE BILL MEANS. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WASHINGTON, March 9.—Mr. Sher-WASHINGTON, March 9.—Mr. Sherman's request was agreed to, excepting that relating to the compensation for the commission engaged in the sale of the Puyallup Indian reservation, to which Mr. Lewis (Dem.) of Washington offered an amendment to repeal the law prohibiting the alienation of these Indian lands within a period of ten years. He subsequently withdrew it, finding that it was subject to a point of order, and the original amendment, with the others, was non-concurred in.

When the amendment relating to the opening of the Uncompahare reservation was reached, with the amendment agreed upon by the conferces to perm? the leasing of the mineral lands, Mr. King (Dem.) of Utah made a point of order against the amendment offered by the conferces to the Senate amendment.

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After a long debate, Mr. Hepburn (Rep...) of Iowa, who was in the chair, sustained Mr. King's point of order to the conferees' substitute for the

ndment.
. Shafroth of Colorado therefore Mr. Shafroth of Colorado therefore moved to concur in the Senate amendment. The motion was contested by Mr. Lacey (Rep.) of Ohio, who thought the conferees should be allowed to fix up a provision which would permit the glisonite lands on the reservation to be opened to leases. These valuable deposits should not be allowed to fall into the hands of speculators. The House has overwhelmingly indorsed this position at the extra session. At this point Mr. Williams (Dem.) of Mississippi got the floor, and under the latitude allowed for debate in committee, answered a speech made some time

At this point Mr. Williams (Dem.) of Mississ.ppi got the floor, and under the latitude allowed for debate in committee, answered a speech made some time ago by Mr. Dingley, contrasting the condition of the cotton industry in the North and South. On that occasion, Mr. Dingley, he said, had spoken of the possible necessity of a constitutional amendment to regulate the hours of labor so as to remove the disadvantage under which the northern operatives, with their shorter hours of labor, suffered. The talk of such an amendment, Mr. Williams said, was absurd, and he was forced to the conclusion that the purpose of Mr. Dingley's speech was either to arouse the southern operatives to strikes as a compensation to the northern manufacturers, or to create hatred in the North against the cotton operatives of the South.

Mr. Williams read letters from many southern cotton mills, explaining the advantages they possessed over their northern rivals.

Mr. Moody (Rep.) of Massachusetts replied to Mr. Williams, recounting the condition of the New England mill operatives and the code of laws enacted for their protection. He did not believe the New England cotton factories would go down before their southern competitors, but if they did the people of New England, taking inspiration from their granite rocks and the cold cruelty of their east winds, would find a way to work out their salvation. He commended the labor laws of Massachusetts to the people of the Southern States. The debate then drifted

He commended the labor laws of Massachusetts to the people of the Southern States. The debate then drifted back to the motion of Mr. Shafroth to concur in the Senate amendment. It was finally defeated, by 34 to 72. The vote was equivalent to non-concurrence.

When the free homestead amendment was reached, Mr. Eddy (Rep.) of Minnesota, moved concurrence. As many members desired to debate this proposition, an arrangement was made by

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Mr. Sherman, who led the opposition to the amendment, said it involved directly and indirectly an appropriation greater than Congress had just made for the national defense. It involved, he said, a direct appropriation of \$12,000,000, and an indirect appropriation of \$25,069,000 and a future expenditure of probably \$20,000,000. The lands which this amendment proposed to turn over to settiers under the homestead laws free of cost were of two classes: First, land ceded to the government by Indians to be disposed of by the government. There were \$14,000,000 acres of these lands, upon which the government still owed \$12,259,000. Second, lands purchased by the Indians were to be reimbursed upon the sale of the land to the settlers. These lands aggregated \$15,000,000 acres and cost \$25,000. \$000. The amendment would compel the government to pay the Indians for lands turned over free of cost to settlers and thus commit the government to a policy which in the future, would cost the government many millions more. There were nine other Indian reservations with an acreage of 12,199,663, which might be opened to homesteads settlement.

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Mr. Sherman read a letter from the Secretary of the Interior setting forth these facts. While expressing sympathy with the poor and bomeless of the country, the letter opposed the free home clause, saying it would in effect be the taxing of the entire people for the benefit of the few.

Mr. Ledy (18ep...) of Minnesota, who advocated the free-home clause, made a vigorous speech in support of it. He referred to the beneficient results of the General Homestead Act of 1863, under which a million happy homes had been built up in this country. When he referred to the Oklahoma Free-Home Bill, passed largely through the agency of Delegate Flynn. Mr. Steele (Rep...) of Indiana asked him if Mr. Flynn had not been beaten after securing this great boon to the Oklahoma settlers.

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him if Mr. Flynn had not been beaten after securing this great boon to the Oklahoma settlers.

"He was," answered Mr. Eddy, "but he ran 1000 ahead of his ticket, and if you do not adopt this amendment and redeem the pledge made in the Republican platform, many of you will be left at home at the next election."

Mr. Eddy said that much opposition had been fomented against this proposition by the agricultural colleges of the country, who feared their trust funds would be threatened. He declared that the fears were groundless. These colleges were not dependent on the annual sales of public lands.

The announcement that the President had signed the National Defense Bill, made by Executive Clerk Pruden, which interrupted the debate, was greeted with a round of applause.

At the conclusion of Mr. Eddy's remarks the committee rose. The Housenon-concurred in the Senate amendments to the District of Columbia Appropriation Bill, and at 4:50 p.m. adjourned.

CLASSIFICATION TOO EXTENSIVE.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Senato Pritchard, chairman of the Committe

under two heads, as follows: "First-That the Executive power to make such modifica

Civil Service, today presented th

Senate Civil Service Committee is for Certain Modifications. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

report of that committee on its recentivestigations of the classified service embodying the conclusions of the committee of t mittee. These conclusions are divided

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may be found advisable, and therefore

NO RIVER-HARBOR BILL. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, March 9.—Th House Committee on Rivers and Har-bors voted today not to report a River and Harbor Appropriation Bill

this session CONFIRMATIONS,
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, March 9.—The Senate today confirmed these nominations:
W. L. Avery of Montana, Consul at Ballze, British Honduras. To be Collector of Customs, W. W. Bowers, San

Diege.
Postmasters: California-D. R. Hunter, Livermore; G. W. Francis, Napa E. C. McBride, Dixon. LOOKING AFTER IT.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES. 1 WASHINGTON, March 9.-[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Perkins called up out of order the nomination of W. W. Bowers for Collector of Customs at San Diego, and the confirmation speedily followed. The commission wil be looked after at once and forwarded to San Diego.

FURBISHING MILITIA LAW [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, March 9.—The Marsh Bill, to promote the efficiency of Marsh Bill, to promote the efficiency of the national militia, was reported to the House today with several minor amendments. The bill is the result of a thorough study of the National Guard and its use in time of need by either State of Federal authority. It repeats all the obsolete provisinal enactments of 1792, still in force, and rids the general militia law of much verbiage. Among other things the penalty for disobeying the call of the President is made subject to a court-martial, and old and unserviceable material used by the militia is allowed to be turned in by the States and credited at its value.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

Night Dispatches Condensed The municipal inspector of schools at Callao sks for the closing by the government of he American Methodist mission schools un-er Dr. Weba.

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There is a possibility that the trouble over transcontinental rates between the Canadian Pacific and the roads of the United States may be settled next week. Chairman Caldwell of the Western Passenger Association received a Joint telegram signed by Chairman Donald of the Central, Passenger Association and Commissioner Farmer of the Trunk Line Association, asking if the western roads would agree to meet the lines of the Central Association and of the Trunk Line Association in New York next Tuesday, It is understood that the Canadian Pacific will also be represented at the meeting. Chairman Caldwell replied for the western roads to the effect that they would be represented.

Day Dispatches Condensed.

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The Canadian Pacific Railway has again made a 45 cut in rates. This makes the second-class fare 425, to any place on the Coast and the first-class, \$31.

Señor Mendonea, the Brazilian Minister at Washington, raid yesterday that he knew of no revolution in Brazil, and had received no advices on the subject.

It is semi-officially appropried at Medaid.

It is semi-officially announced at Madrid that the rumors in circulation of a recrudes-cence of the rebellion in the Philippine Islands are without foundation. Islands are without foundation.

Pay Director L. G. Billings of the navy has been detached as general inspector of the pay corps and ordered to be examined for retirement. He was recently court-marrialed, and this action is in mitigation of his sentence.

tence.

The London Daily Chronicle declares that England's polley in West Africa is the same as in China—to secure free markets, in the attainment of which she is "willing to make

attainment of which she is "willing to make such territorial concessions as are compatible with the preservation of self-respect."

The Earl of Bradford (Orlando George Charles Bridgeman) is dead. He was born 1819, and was formerly Lord Chamberlain of Queen Victoria's household and Master of he Horse. In politics he was a Conservative.

tive.

A special dispatch to London from Shanghai says that the influence of Li Hung Chang and the Dowager Empress have been exercised on behalf of Russia, whose demands, so far as China is concerned, will be granted, According to the same dispatch, the Russian title to Deer Island has been confirmed. A New Castle, Del., d'spatch says that on Monday next the Delaware Iron Works will resume operations, after a suspension of tour months, and will give employment to learly five hundred hands. Many of the amilies have been in distress since the bint-down.

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The New York Journal of Commerce says that there has been an unsettled feeling in the market for prunes for several days, owing to influences exerted by speculative operators who have been attracted to New York from Chicago, it is said, by the reason that this market for a long time past has been below parity with California prices.

A Dublin cablegram says Baron Cast'emaine has been elected a Representative in the place of Baron Clarina, deceased. Albert Edward Handler, fifth Baron Castlemaine, was born in 1862, and succeeded to the title in 1892. He was formerly a lieutenant in the Inneskillen Fusileers, and is a justice and a deputy-lieutenant for Wost Meath cebunty.

and a deputy-lieutenant for Wost Meath county.

The presentation of the British naval cettimates (increasing the expenditure by £7,-620,000,) adding to the personnel of the navy 5240 men, and providing for the building of three new battleships, four armored cruisers and four slops of war,) has been received with much satisfaction by the press and public. The total appropriation for the year, \$118,902,900, has never been exceeded.

A Yokohama cablegram says dispatches from Scoul say that the Russian charge d'affaires, M. Schpeyer, has complained to the fing of the distavor Korean officials have displayed toward M. Alexieff, the Russian representative in the customs and the Russian military instructors, He has demanded an answer within twenty-four hours as to whether the King wishes to retain their services. The King is consulting with the English and American members of the Council of State.

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Notable Americans in Paris. PARIS, March 9.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Hanotaux, today received the United States Ambassador, Gen. Horace Porter, and the first secretary of the United States Embassy, Henry Vignaud, who presented Thomas Gridler, the special commissioner to the exposition of 1900; Col. Hamburger, the assistant commissioner, and Lieut. Baker, U.S. N., who is attached to the commission.

Ex-Convicts Arrested.

THE TIMES-Weekly Circulation Statement.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th
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[Seal] THOMAS L. CHAPIN,
sotary Public in and for the County of Los
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Adams st.
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Long before the time for court to convene there was a great crowd out-side. Only a limited number were admitted. Judge Woodward took his seat on the bench at 10 o'clock. The jury came in a few minutes later. The clerk asked: "Gentlemen of the jury, have you agreed upon a verdict?"

The foreman replied: "We have." The foreman replied: "We f At the same time handing the At the same time handing the clerk the written verdict, which was prompt-ly passed to Judge Woodward. After reading the verdict the Judge returned the paper to the clerk. The latter, addressing the jury, said:

the paper to the addressing the jury, said:
"Gentlemen, your verdict in the case of the Commonwealth versus James Martin et al. is not guilty, so say you "We do" was the reply. The all?" "We do," was the reply. The jury was then polled and each juror answered "not guilty" as his name was

An attempt at applause was quickly suppressed by the Judge. The jury took only one ballot. It was unanimous for acquittal. It is said the jury was prepared for a verdict before leaving the box.

After the jury had been thanked and After the jury had been thanked and discharged by Judge Woodward, District Attorney Martin asked that the defendants be required to continue their bail bond, as there are still sevevteen indictments for murder hanging over them, and thirty-eight for feloniously wounding. The bond was continued as requested.

District Attorney Martin says he has not decided what to do with these other cases. The prosecuting committee, it is said, will insist upon further prosecution.

A woman giving the name of Mrs. B. E. Roberts was brought to the Receiving Hospital early this morning suffering from numerous contused suffering from numerous contused wounds about the head and face. In fact the woman had been horribly beaten by some human brute, even worse than herself. She accuses two men known to be connected with the coursing park on the Santa Monica line, of attacking her, and they will probably be arrested today.

Mrs. Roberts had been drinking, and was, in fact, drunk when brought to the station. She was cared for by Drs. Hagan and Stitsfeld, and put to hed.

Hagan and Stitsfield, and put to bed. SAN DIEGO, Merch 9.—It is cloudy tonight, with occasional light showers. The storm thus far has not been heavy enough to do any good.

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CIGAR-STUMP FIRE.

EVERYONE'S HOME" HOUSE RAZED AT DYEA.

ously Burned, Will Probably Die-Other Men Missing.

CONGESTION AT POSTOFFICE.

No Distributing Force-Important Mail Waits - Loud Complaints.

Postmaster Takes to His Bed. Soldlers as Letter Clerks.

IRY DUIECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] IN DIESCT WHE TO THE TIMES.]

DYEA (Alaska,) March 3.—[Wired from Seattle, Wash., March 9. Exclusive Dispatch.] By the burning of a saloon and lodging-house this morning, at least one life was lost and a valuable building destroyed. A large fire was averted by the prompt work of citizens and the providential lull in the wind at that time. Bert Meeker of Portland, Or., is dead. Three or more unknown men is dead. Three or more unknown men are supposed to have been sleeping in the house, and it is likely that they were burned to death. Gus Kahler of

The fire started about 6 octock this morning by the careless handling of a cigar stump by a drunken lodger in the "Everyone's Home" House, owned by J. A. Douglass. It was a two-story building 30x80 feet, at River and Fifth

The discovery of the fire was followed by a wild alarm through the building, but so quickly did the blaze spread, fanned by a stiff breeze, that some did not escape, and others got out in their nightclothes.

Gus Kahler escaped with his life, but

the doctors say he will not live. The flesh fell in large pieces from his face and arms when he was taken out. He has a wife and child at Juneau. In the ruins, not yet cool enough to make a thorough examinaion, was found the trunk of what is supposed to be the body of Bert Meeker, a dealer in one of

body of Bert Meeker, a deart make the gambling houses.

Several other men are missing, and it is believed that other bones and bodies will be found buried in the ashes, when the pile of burning timbers cools off sufficiently to make an examination. A subscription was started at once for the relief of the fire sufferers, many men and families having lost all they had. A large sum is being raised. ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SEATTLE (Wash..) May 9 .- [Exclusive Dispatch.] Everyone's Home Hotel, in the center of Dyea, was burned early Friday morning last with known dead are: BERT MEEKER, Portland.

GUS KAHLER, of Juneau. It is reported that the charred body of a woman was taken out of the

hotel at the time, are missing, and tis supposed that their bodies will be found when the embers cool off.

Kahler was taken out alive but the control of th ribly burned. The flesh fell from his face and arms when rescuers moved him. It is reported he died shortly

afterward.

It was shortly after 6 o'cleck when the flames were discovered. The building is a two-story frame, and burned like pitch. An adjoining saloon and dance hall caught fire and burned rapidly. Twenty people were sleeping in the hotel and fifteen escaped in their night either. The caped in their night clothes. The others are supposed to have perished. The citizens had nothing with which to fight fire, and had not the wind died down shortly after it commenced, the entire south end of town would have burned. It is supposed that the fire

orated—Scurvy at Dawson.
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SEATTLE (Wash.,) March 9.- (Exoldt arrived today from Alaska with

the discovery of rich placer grounds on Walsh Creek, a short distance down the Yukon from Big Salmon River, and SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—The

in their cabins around Dawson. Pro-visions at Dawson are selling at the regular summer rates and there is very little demand. Men on the Hum-bodlt believe that there will be plenty

of food to last through the winter. The last party to leave Dawson was headed by William Pardue and consisted of Chris Solid, W. H. Kierman, and J. L. Pierce. Pardue, the leader of the party, took a drove of cattle last year. He had considerable trouble in getting them to Dawson, owing to the lateness of the season and lost a number. All that he took through were sold at very high prices, and Pardue made a good thing out of the

In speaking of the strike on Walsh Creek, William E. Kierman said: "We reached the headquarters of the Can-MANTAINS COLD ST. Call between 10 and 2 or after 5.

DEATH STISTS—

And Dental Rooms.

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got nowhere near the pay streak, yet, and prospects are glowing. Thirty-two men had located flaims up to the time we reached the headquarters of police. These claims are the regulation hundred feet, and all seem to show up well.

Chris Solid of Colfax, Wis., said: "To sillustrate the change in the provision situation at Dawson, I will tell you my experiences. I expected to stay in the country all winter, and stocked up well with supplies. Some I purchased last fall, and when I sold out my supply, just before coming out, I lost heavily. I bought three sacks of flour in the fall for \$300. Just before leaving I sold two sacks for \$30, and had hard work. two sacks for \$90, and had hard work to find a buyer. I sold a case of dessi-cated potatoes for \$30, just what I paid paid \$1.50 a can went begging at \$1. At the stores you can get butter, milk, etc., in small quantities at regular sum-

office to Help.
[BY DIRECT WHEE TO THE TIMES.]
SKAGUAY, March 3.—[Wired from Seattle, March 3.—[Wired From Seattle, March 9. Exclusive Dispatch.] Skaguay has been suffering from a congestion of mail. At times during the past week the postoffice has been closed for two days at a stretch while the inadequate force of clerks vainly tried to distribute the thousands of letters which arrived on the different

thrown into a fourth-class office, in a new town, where nearly all are strangers, created chaos. Lines of men leading up to the postoffice have waited for hours at the doors, eager to and newcomers have waited in vain for days to get important letters. which they knew must be in the glut

of matter. Complaints have been loud and numerous, and although Postmaster Samson has been lying at the point of death, his administration has re-ceived the most bitter criticism.

When the congestion of mail began at the postoffice a half-dozen persons volunteerd to assist in handling it. Their services were accepted, or as many were taken in as could con-

been in use a week. Painters were still working at it when the rush came. They had to get out to give room to clerks. For several days there were nine and ten clerks at work, all but two being volunteers. Still, with all this force, it was impossible for the patrons to be served without great de-

patrons to be served without great de-lay and annoyance.

Yesterday Capt. Eastman of the troops stationed here, suggested that some of his men go into the postoffice and learn to handle the mail. They were to receive no pay. The proposi-tion was accepted by the nestmaster tion was accepted by the postmaster and eight or ten soldiers were sent in at once. They are now learning the ropes, and when they have reached

Dawson City by those from the in-terior, who arrived on the Hum-boldt, was that of important discoveries on the Big Salmon River. Surface dirt was said to have gone 75 cents to the pan. The eleven men who arrived in Seattle from Dawson

City this morning have \$200,000 in drafts and gold dust. The wrecking steamer Whitelaw arrived at Skaguay March 3. Shortly after anchorig off shore a half-mile she was discovered to be on fire. From the shore people on board were seen hurriedly taking to the boats, whil then the Whitelaw was beached, where she was burning when the Humboldt left. It is said she was afire three times on her way up.

PORT TOWNSEND (Wash.,) March from Skaguay, having left that port after the steamer Humboldt. She re-ports that the fire on the steamer Whitelaw was not as serious as has boldt arrived today from Alaska with eleven Klondikers. The purser had \$40,000 in gold dust in his safe. It is estimated that the drafts brought amounted to \$100,000. The Klondikers came out in four parties, two of which left Dawson February 7, and made the tip out in twenty-four days.

The principal news they bring is of the discovery of rich placer grounds to the first power of the discovery of rich placer grounds.

the Yukon from Big Salmon River, and on Rosebud Creek, fifty miles south of Dawson. The Walsh strike was made by prospective Klondikers, who were caught in the ice at the mouth of the Big Salmon and compelled to winter there.

Between thirty and forty patients were in the Catholic hospital at Dawson with scurvy when the last party left. A number of other men are sick SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.--The steamship Moana, Capt. Carey, arrived

With Significant Instructions. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) March 9.-J. N. Ivey, Collector of Customs for the Dis-trict of Alaska, has arrived in Seattle from a conference with the authorities at Washington. He has specific instruc-tions of a significant nature, relative to the collection of duties and the location of his men for that purpose on the passes and trails leading to the Yukon. Ivey told friends that his instructions

DOES ENGLAND REALLY OWN Or Does She Only Think She Owns

Disputed Alaskan Points. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] ... WASHINGTON, March 9.—Repreto Congress as soon as practicable, and if not incompatible with the pub-lic service, information as to what has

Charles Leadbetter Killed-Mob Spirits Away His Sinyer. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

STOCKTON, March 9.—The Mail this evening publishes a story to the effect that Charles Leadbetter, well known in this city and county, is reported killed in Alaska by one of the Hewitt boys, a son of M. L. Hewitt. Young Hewitt was also well known here, and lived with his parents near Farmington before he left for the North last summer. A letter from one of the Drais boys, also of Farmington, was received by his father, and it is this letter which tells about the killing of Leadbetter by Hewitt.

According to the message received, the killing and its consequences were most sensational. Leadbetter was one of the party that left for Alaska last summer. When they got into the cold region it is said that Leadbetter misappropriated some of the provisions, thereby endangering the ites of the others. A quarrel ensued, in which Hewitt shot his companion. Following that, it is told, a mob seized Hewitt and nothing more has been heard of him, although that was about two months ago.

Leadbetter was a young man who

him, although that was about two months ago.
Leadbetter was a young man who had much trouble here. He was arrested several times for parts which he played in various transactions, and always seemed unsettled financially. He was connected at one time with the Stanislaus and San Joaquin Irrigation Company. Hewitt is aid to have been a peaceable man. The story could not be verified, but it is related by a man ammed Mye's, who claimed to have seen and read the letter.

BRITISH TROOPS MUST GO.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW YORK, March 9.-A special to NEW YORK, March 9.—A special to the Herald from Washington says that Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British Ambassador, called at the White House in company with Secretary Sherman, and held a conference with the Fresident. It was not until late at night that the business of Sir Julian at the White House was known, when it was learned at the State Department that the Ambassador had called to state that the matter of the incursions of British troops into Alaska at Summit Pass would be satisfactorily adjusted, and the troops withdrawn if they were found on the American side.

LÉADBETTER'S LETTTR.

[ASSOCIATED FRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN JOSE, March 9.—The killing of

SAN JOSE, March 9.—The killing of C. H. Leadbetter at Dawson City by Hewitt is denied at the home of his wife's mother, Mrs. Thomas Kelley, in this city. Mrs. Kelley says her daughter received a letter from Leadbetter, March 3. It was written about a week before, and at that time he was at Dyea. Leadbetter left Hewitt and the Davis boys at Dyea, the others going into the interior of Alaska.

M'MULLEN'S MEASURE

M'MULLEN'S MEASURE. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] OTTAWA (Ont.,) March 9,-Mr. Mc-Mullen introduced a bill in the House Mullen introduced a bill in the House of Commons today requiring anyone who was to become a director or had an interest in any mining company in Canada to be for one year a resident of Her Majesty's realm, or in a country which had no alien-labor law against the Dominion of Canada!

ANOTHER RELIEF PLAN.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SEATTLE (Wash...) March 9.—Although the government relief expedi-

though the government relief expedition to the Yukon has been abandoned, another plan has been substituted which has the same destination in view, and which will subserve the same

view, and which will subserve the same purpose.

The plan is to divide the herd of 537 reindeer now here into two parts. The greater number, 237, will leave here as soon as transportation arrangements can be perfected, for Cyramid Harbor. Thence they will proceed in American territory. Near Circle City a relief supply station will be established under the immediate charge of William Kyellman. The remaining 200 deer will be sent to Prince Cilliam Sound, together with about fifty herders undercommand of Capt. Abercrombie. The second expedition will leave here for Prince William Sound some time in May, and will start for the interior of Alaska in June.

Petty Criminals Whose Fates Were

Justice Owens yesterday gave John Faylor a 150-day sentence for petty lar-Taylor at 100-day sentence for petty lar-ceny. Taylor had about 100 days extra-added for having been so foolish as to demand a jury trial. The jury found him guilty of the theft of B. C. Platt's overcoat.

were held in \$1000 hall each to answer the charge of robbery, the evidence against them tending to show that they rolled a drunk and got \$18 of his money. John Peters got a sentence of \$30 or thirty days for stealing four bars of solder.

Eugene Harris was fined \$10 by Justice Morrison for disturbing the peace.
Ten Taira a Jap was fined \$2 for a petty misdemeanor.
Themas Johnson was acquitted by a jury of the charge of battery.
The trial of Louisa Lindsay for adultery was indefinitely continued.
Thomas Nelson was found guilty of fast driving, sentence to be passed on him today.
The burglary charge against R P.

him today.

The burglary charge against R. B. Shepherd, the colored janitor in Mrs. Keily's lodging-house, was changed to petty larceny and his trial set for Friday. Shepherd is accused to stealing carpets belonging to his employer.

Five drunks were given the customary \$3 or three days, and nine vagrants were dismissed on County Jail floaters.

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CUBAN INDEPENDENCE IN SIGHT.

at last reached a determination to in-

tervene definitely in the Cuban rebel-

lion. There are good reasons to be-

lieve that the proposed action contem-

plates, not merely the recognition of

the belligerent rights of the insur

independence, doubtless with the sub-

stantial guarantee of this government

back of it, to give it force and per-

manence if necessary. This action,

if taken, will be quite distinct and

pursued with reference to the Maine

tragedy, though the latter may have

and will undoubtedly hasten the crisis

Less than one year ago, when both

houses of Congress were bent upon

the immediate recognition of Cuban

belligerency, the President counseled

moderation. He opposed precipitate action, and when the ultraists in Sen-

ate and House seemed disposed to

them into private consultation, and as

President and the pro-Cuban leaders

that it would be best to accede to his

wishes, and confident that justice

would ultimately be done to Cuba,

The agitation in Congress for the

recognition of Cuban belligerency

was abandoned, or at least suspended.

Gen. Woodford was sent to Madrid

with special instructions from the

President. Weyler was soon after-

to Cuba in his place, bearing the olive

branch of autonomy. The American

which might prejudice the experiment

of pacification by the expedient of

autenomy. Full scope was given for

the working out of that scheme, and

the Spanish government concentrated

its efforts upon this forlorn hope of

These efforts have thus far failed

ost signally. The insurgents have

peremptorily, rejected all overtures

and suggestions which fall short of

dependence, even putting to death the

emissaries sent to them with pacific

propositions. The autonomous régime

The loss of Cuba, to Spain, is mani-

fest destiny. Intervention by the

dependence will merely hasten a re-

wounds of the long and bitter con-

flict, and establish in the island-

which is one of the fairest lands be-

neath the sun-a new era of develop-

The unanimity with which the \$50.

of Congress, points conclusively to

dent and Congress, by which prompt

decisive, and harmonious action in

recognition of Cuban independence is

tion, and the series of events which

have led up to it, will scarcely admit

no other hypothesis can be plausibly

explained the fact that all the seem-

ingly irreconcilable elements in Con

gress were brought into harmonious

action. The extraordinary activity in

the military and naval departments

of the government support this con-

sufficient in itself to warrant these

inusual and extensive preparations

War is regarded as probable, though

o relinquish her sovereignty in Cuba.

That the Spanish government will

The Maine disaster is not

of any other interpretation.

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ment and hope and progress.

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What passed between the

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AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

LOS ANGELES-Black Patti's Troubadours that the President, sustained by the ORPHEUM-Vaudeville. BURBANK-Ten Nights in a Bar-room. almost unanimous sentiment of Con-

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QUICK WORK IN THE SENATE.

Without a dissenting vote, without even the formality of debate, the Senate of the United States, yesterday, passed the urgency bill, which passed the House on Tuesday by unanimous vote, appropriating \$50,000,000 for national defense, to be expended at the discretion of the President for the purpose named. Within twenty-six minutes after the Senate had convened the roll call had been completed and the bill had become a law, to all intents and purposes, lacking only the signatures of the President, of the Vice-President, and of the Speaker of the House, to give it full validity.

The Senate adjourned at 1:35 p.m. At 1:40 p.m. the Speaker signed the bill. The Vice-President signed it at 3 p.m., and it was carried to the the recognition of absolute Cuban in-Executive Mansion at once. At 3:40 p.m. the President attached his signature to the measure, thus making it the law of the land, and placing at has proven a farce and a flasco. Spain e disposal of the Chief Executive the is seemingly at the end of her reimmense sum of \$50,000,000, to be ex- sources. Her power in Cuba is pended for the national defense in broken, and it is only a question of such manner as the President may time when she must relinquish her, deem expedient. The cash to meet hold upon the island. Centuries of this appropriation is in the treasury, misrule and oppression have wrought and it can all be expended, if neces- their extremity of horror, and their sary, without causing any shortage of inevitable result of unconquerable refunds, as a balance of about \$175,000. 000 of available cash would still re-

The action of the Senate and of the | United States to establish Cuban in-House, in this matter, is magnificent. It is in consonance with the greatness and the dignity of this nation. It is will alleviate the suffering, heal the in harmony with public sentiment throughout the country, which approves the course pursued with practical unanimity. The action of Congress, in this matter, is the epitomized expression of the people's will. And if another \$50,000,000 should be needed-which in all human probability it will not-it will be voted an understanding between the Presiwith the same munificence and una-

the culmination of the existing crisis guaranteed. The extraordinary situawith equanimity and confidence. With entire harmony between the legislative and executive branches of the government, and with both these branches in harmony with the popular will, we are prepared to maintain our position in the face of any and all obstacles. Conscious that the path we have chosen is the path of right and of justice, we shall follow it unswervingly, to whatever conclusion it

The nations of the earth have had an object lesson in the way the Amer- not inevitable; and war, if it comes, ican people can get together when will be because of the refusal of Spain emergency demands it. For further particulars read the report of proceedings in the House of Representatives

The Populists and Democrats are mighty hard to get along with some gle will be desperate, though probably brief. It can have but one result. To say that Spain cannot cope with the have to call on him for the money. times, but when it comes to a prospective scrap with some other nation, it But she can inflict much less upon

added to the loss of Cuba. Spain has only herself to thank for he desperate situation in which she finds herself. Under a liberal and ust system of government, Cuba night have been retained as one of the brightest jewels in the crown of Spanish sovereignty. But misrule will surely overreach and defeat itself in the progress of the centuries It is more to be wondered at that Spain has so long retained her hold upon Cuba, than that she now finds

ROGUE OF ANOTHER SORT.

More despicable than the cowardly writer of anonymous letters is the malicious wretch who forges other names to his scurrilous screeds. One of these scoundrels-a fair specimen of the class that opposes the fiesta-sends to THE TIMES this elegant epistle:

"The only people benefited by the Los Angeles fiesta are the Sheenies, rostitutes, and newspapers. THE TIMES is friendly to them all, it not to be wondered that it is tryng to 'work' the people. It is a hard Evidences are rapidly accumulating ob. They are tired of being robbed. By the way, how much are you get-ting out of the dog-catcher and sellers gress and of the American people, has of muzzles for spreading the mad-dog care?"

A name and address were appended the letter to give it the appearance f being genuine and above-board, but he signature is a forgery. The man hose name was forged did live at gents, but the recognition of Cuban the address given, but he sold out his business here and removed to British Columbia nearly two years ago, and he has not been in Los Aneles for more than a year.

The evil-minded scoundrel vrote the letter evidently selected the name of this man because he knew him to be thousands of miles away and probably he harbored the malicious hope that no investigation would be made and the innocent person would be severely criticised for the despicable letter.

The unanimity with which forgers owards and rogues hate THE TIMES s one of the sincerest compliments that could be paid to a newspaper.

override his objections, he called The law has triumphed. In the case it were, took them into his confiof Sheriff Martin and his deputies, or trial at Wilkesbarre, Pa., for the shooting of strikers in the coal miners' rlot, at Lattimer, the jury reurned a verdict of "not guilty." The irst vote taken by the jury was unanimous for acquittal. This result is ences with the Executive, convinced right and law-upholding. The tragedy at Lattimer was in the last degree deplorable. But the Sheriff and his deputies merely did their duty, as should all efforts at pacification on they were bound by oath to do. rioters brought upon themselves the terrible punishment which they received. It is gratifying to know that injustice has not been done to these officers by punishing them for doing their duty. A verdict of guilty in their case would have been tantaward recalled, and Blanco was sent mount to placing a premium upon official cowardice, inefficiency and un-Congress refrained from any action

Friends and fellow-citizens, do not rush the cattle and do not scrouge the President. He is filling a position full of difficulties and responsibilities, and in the present emergency it is the patriotic and manly part to refrain from attacks of hysterics and too much breaking out at the mouth. We are too big and powerful a nation to permit ourselves to do an injustice to any other nation, especially one that is walking on its uppers and calling at back doors for the diurnal hand-out. Don't fume, don't yell, don't worry, and don't "chew the rag." In other words, "give the old man a chance." is all right and the nation is all right. Let us all make a resolute effort to stay all right!

Here we are with \$50,000,000 on hand to buy shooting irons with, and the Kansas farmers calmly sitting back there where the tumble weeds roll and the south winds sigh, with their old wallets crammed so full of the long green that every mother's son of them looks as if he had a tumor. Truly, we are loaded for bear, Spaniards or any other varmint that roams the woods.

It is announced that Gen. Clay and his infantile wife have senarated again, but the telephone line into Richmond, Ky., is still working. Will not someone over there be kind enough to cut it, and also the telegraph wires?

Spain should not overlook the further fact that we also have a Secretary of War who is always ready to foot the bills of the government any time it appears to be hard un

Millions for defense and more milions to succor the starving. That is where America stands today with both hands in her pockets handing out

We are at least to be congratulated on the fact that there is no concerted movement in this country look-

England now has a chance to stand up and be counted, and it is gratifying to note that she appears to be in line to be counted right

Uncle Sam does not use slang, but if he did this is about what he would

is perfectly beautiful to see the way us in the first onset, for she will bat- bill for the appropriation of \$50,000,000

In the end, she will pay dearly for Cannon. Let us hope that further in all these losses, which will be supertroductions by whole batteries of them may not prove necessary.

> Dr. Gatling is said to be kept very busy these days making those nasty indigestible-pill throwers of his.

Since that campaign in Columbus Senator Hanna should certainly have no fears of the horrors of war.

Poor old Spain, crazy to fight and no money to buy powder. Truly, these

If Spain is dead set on the proposition to remove Gen. Lee, it might try a derrick. Mr. Bingham of Pennsylvania is

oubtless sorry he spoke. Sit still, Hawaii; you're next.

The Nlayhouses

BURBANK THEATER .- The Elle ford company repeated their successful presentation of the strong and inter-esting play, "The Lost Paradise," at this theater last night, and will seen this evening in that famous old temperance drama, "Ten Nights in a Bar-room." This is a play that, in its field, is quite as "notable as "Uncle Tom's Cabin." It is replete with pathos and preaches a sermon that is better than many of those heard from pulpits. It deserves a big house.

COMING ATTRACTIONS. — "Shall We Forgive Her" will serve to reintroduce to this city that able actress, Marie Walnwright, who will begin a three nights' engagement next Monday, the seats for which were placed on sale at the box office of the Los Angeles. Theater yesterday morning. Miss Walnwright has been warmly received all over the country in this play, and may be depended upon to repeat her success in this city.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

PROPOSED FREEHOLDERS' ELEC-TION TO ERAME NEW CHARTER.

Wilson's Visit-Chamber Invited to Attend Valley Road Celebrations - Returning Klon-dikers Should Visit Southern California.

ber of Commerce met yesterday after The following were elected to ership: Williamson Bros., planos; membership: Williamson Bros., pianos Theodore B. Comstock, mining engi

Director Groff, chairman of the County and Municipal Affairs' Com-mittee, to whom was referred the comnunication from the Jeffersonian Sc ciety asking the appointment of a com-mittee of five to act with other committees from the commercial bodies the city in a meeting to be held at the Southern California Music Hall Thursday, March 10, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of formulating a plan for a free-holders' election to frame a new city charter, reported favoring the appointment of the committee. The president thereupon appointed the following to represent the chamber: W. J. Hunsaker, W. B. Cline, W. C. Patterson, F. Sabichi and R. J. Waters.

A communication was read from James Wilson, Secretary of the Depart ment of Agriculture, in response to a communication addressed to him some communication addressed to him some time ago asking if he could not be present at the convention to be held by the horticulturists in the chamber's rooms April 11 and 12, stating that it would be impossible for him to be here on that date, but as soon as his duties would permit he expected to come to the Coast and make this city a visit.

A communication from the Central Cuban Relief Committee, asking the chamber to appoint a committee to systematically take up the matter of soliciting funds, food and clothing for the relief of the terrible distress in the Island of Cuba, was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

A communication from James M. Hunter, secretary of the Board of Trade at Bakersfield, inviting the chamber to visit them on the completion of the Valley road to that city, was ac-

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ber to Visit them on the Computers of the Valley road to that city, was accepted.

A communication from L. B. Boswell, commissioner for the Quincy freight bureau, Quincy, Ill., asking coöperation of the chamber in the matter of inducing the telegraph companies to change the maximum number of words in a message at one rate from ten to twenty words, was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

A communication from J. A. Filcher, secretary of the State Board of Trade, stating that the board had taken up the work of the Alaska Trade Committee and suggesting that if they could donything toward inducing returning Klondikers to visit the southern part of the State they were anxious to receive suggestions, as they were desirous of having the cooperation of all enterprising citizens in endeavoring to secure the better class of this moving population, was referred to the Committee on Immigration.

opulation, was retired in the communication was read from E. A communication was read from E. Bruce ,manager of the department of exhibits at Omaha, stating that they had changed the allotment of space for the Los Angeles county exhibit, which he thought would be more acceptable to the board than the first allotment. The board, however, objected to the selection, and instructed the secretary to so inform the gentleman. The president was instructed to appoint a committee of five from the membership to represent the chamber at the hortfullural convention to be f exhibits at Omaha, stating that they

at the horticultural convention to be held in this city the 11th and 12th of GEN. ROSECRANS.

His Condition Last Night Reported as Less Favorable. At a late hour last night the condi-tion of Gen. W. S. Rosecrans had

hanged somewhat for the worse. temperature had increased, and hi pulse and respiration were very rapid termination of the old commander's suffering, and his remarkable vitality though greatly taxed, was apparently sufficient to keep him in the land of the living for some hours longer.

The new library building of the Uni-That the Spanish government will a relax its hold upon Cuba without a struggle, is not probable. The struggle will be desperate though probably brief. It can have but one result. To say that Spain cannot cope with the United States is to state an axiom. But she can inflict much less upon us in the first onset, for she will battle with the courage of desperation.

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Uncle Russell Sage will probably feel disappointed somewhat that we did not have to call on him for the money.

It was very fitting, indeed, that that bill for the appropriation of \$50,000,000 to have been entrusted to Newton H. Wells, who will do most of the painting in Paris.

"BOLLYDICKS."

City Hall politics are fast assuming an interesting phase. The customary wirepulling among the would-be servants of the public is well under way, and the professional office-seeker is walking the streets with his lightning rod on his hat, and a two-bit smile on his classic mug. Naturally the as-pirations of the present incumbents of ffice have been the theme of discussion among the city politicians, though it is still too early to know how far these aspirations will be ratified by the peo-

There are comparatively few of the

any inordinate desire to retire to pri-vate life. Certainly Mayor Snyder is not among this unambitious minority The first year of the Mayor's administration had at least the merit of being nnocuous, for his attempts to do poli tics invariably resulted in his discom-fiture. He was a small unattached cipher in municipal affairs, and his chief function was to afford entertainnent to the public by his unsuccessfu attempts to block the legislation of the City Council. The average voter might have forgotten that the city had a Mayor but for the controversy that arcse over the contest with the City Water Company. This gave Mayor Snyder an opportunity to remind the public of his existence, and he placed himself at the head of the gang of trresponsible demagogues who are seeking make political capital out of water question. The notoriety which he received through the San Francisco Call convinced the Mayor that he was a great man. Visions of a political career passed before him, and when the suggestion was made that Congress alone could afford an adequate field for his statecraft, the Mayoral head was completely turned.

Some of the Democratic politician realize that in a Congressional race Mayor Snyder would be left at the post, and they are therefore urging him to seek reëlection to his present office. While such a course involves great self-denial, the counsel of these advisers may prevail. As yet His Honor is wrapped in silence upon this

City Clerk C. H. Hance is an avowed candidate for reëlection, and is confi-dent that he will again be the Demodent that he will again be the Lection cratic nominee. In the last election Capt. Hance had a weak antagonist, C. L. Wilde, and he won by a hand-some plurality.

City Attorney W. E. Dunn will not seek office in the coming campaign. He has definitely declared that he proposes to devote himself to the private practice of law.

The City Tax and License Collector, John D. Gish, is now serving his sec-ond term, and it is the commonly-ac-cepted theory that a city official cannot be elected for a third term, al though there have been exceptions to this rule. Mr. Gish has determined to become a candidate for County Tax Collector. He relies largely upon

City Treasurer W. A. Hartwell has not yet declared himself, though it is commonly understood that he will seek The chief argument against eëlection his second term, but his friends are confident that his record in office will

City Auditor John G. Nichols will be out for the County Auditorship. Under his administration as City Auditor the business of the office has been thoroughly systematized. He has a considerable following among Democrats as well as among Republicans.

L. S. Seaman, the City Assessor, is commonly regarded as a "dead bird." His administration has been conspicuously inefficient, and the tax roll of last year was replete with blunders and omissions. Seaman's chief deputy, Bert Lewis, is anxious to step into the Assessor's shoes and will make a fight for the Populist-Democratic nomina

charter no Street Superintendent has made a sucessful fight for reëlection John Drain proposes to break the rec-ord. He has the enmity of many of the street contractors, but their opposiis not likely to prove an im-

Blanchard would withdraw at the end who was then aspiring to be the dicta-tor of municipal politics. A change has since come o'er the spirit of Webb's dream, and he is now relegated to the ranks of the "has beens."

LONG-DISTANCE POLITICS.

The Washington correspondent of the Evening Express is engaged in an effort to do California politics from the other side of the continent. Owing to the long range and a brilliant ignorance of his subject, most of his shots are very wide of the mark. It would be gratifying to the people of California if they knew anything about the next election half as positively as this political prophet knows it ail. He announces to the public that either James McLachlan or Frank Flint will be the next Congressman from the Sixth District. Ex-Congressman Bowers is credited with "a very well-defined idea that he would like to be Governor of California."

The correspondent also states that it is "generally conceded" that Senator White's secessor will be a Republican from either the Sixth or Seventh Congressional districts. This omniscient sage goes a step further and names the man.

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He says that "it is expected" that ex-Gov. Markham will be the candidate. As Markham repeatedly declared while Governor, and afterward, that that would be the last public office he would hold, and as his name has not been discussed at all in connection with the Senatorship, the correspondent's surmise has at least the merit of novelty; it it "important if true."

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According to this same veracious authority, "it is expected" that Congressman Barlow will be the Populist candidate in the Sixth District, "while the Democrats will put out an independent ticket which would probably have been headed by Harry Patten had not that gentleman got into difficulties which render his nomination improbable." Persons troubled with only ordinary common sense would not be apt to confound George Patton and Harry Patton in this manner. Harry-Patton has had an opportunity to "decline" one Congressional nomination (for a consideration,) and he will not get another chance at either the nomination or the consideration. The difficulties" referred to must be Patton's libel suit against the Herald.

The correspondent's dense ignorance of California affairs is again illustrated by the declaration that "Judge Maguire is anxious, in case the State should go Democratic, to succeed Senator White, but is afraid that California will not choose two men from the same section of the State." Whatever the interession may be in Washington, it is the general belief on this side of the continent that San Francisco is not in Southern California. The Express's Washington correspondent is cu'rus in his cabeza.

"BILLY" MASON.

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A CHARACTER SKETCH SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

WASHINGTON, March 2.-It it the fashion to decry "Billy" Mason as a jingo, a buffoon, a child who walks blindfolded, torch in hand, through a stock gamblers numberless, peace-at any-price politicians have denounced him, because he has stood up for the cause of the patriots in Cuba, and because they feared that the ticker would go off a few points in conse-quence of his speeches. More recently, he has been met with a chorus of execration because he dared to lay profane hands on the Lord's anointedbecause he dared to insinuate, on the floor of the Senate, that the American people were not satisfied with the way the Secretary of the Navy was handling the Maine investigation, Secretary, by the way, who, while begging the public to withhold its judgment until the facts were known, has not hesitated to put himself on record in favor of carelessness and

error by our own officers.
It may be admitted that Senator Ma-It may be admitted that Senator Mason is emotional, and says more than he would be willing to indorse in calmer moments—if he had any such moments. He runs away with himself, he declines to be bound by party discipline; he often plays the part of a cipline; he often plays the part of a bull in a china shop, and as such, his influence has been sadly discounted, even among his friends. But he has courage; he is a genuine American: he has honesty; he is true to his friends; he will keep his word to his hurt, and he has other ideals than money— qualities not so common as they should be in our statesmen. His chief fault lies in a lack of perspective and fault lies in a lack of perspective and an inability to distinguish between small reasons close at hand and great

one far away.

Mason was born in New York, but
he was brought up in Illinois, and he

John Drain proposes to break the record. He has the enmity of many of the street contractors, but their opposition is not likely to prove an important factor. Drain's administration has been free from the scandials that have disgraced previous incumbents of the office.

The complexion of the next City Council will of course be a matter of great importance. Several of the present Councilmen are very noncommittal as to their intentions, but a majority will probably be in the field for renomination.

Councilman Nickell from the First Ward announced some time ago that he would not run again. There are those, however, who think there is a string tied to this declaration.

The ward is a close one and was carried in the last campaign by a narrow margin. As yet Mr. Baker has not declared himself.

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candidate. He mentioned his idea to several others and they enthusiastically indorsed it. This friend then planned to rise in his seat the next day, nominate Mason in a ringing speech, which would be seconded by half a dozen others, and attempt to stampede the Legisla uze for him. Looking back at this distance of time, it seems altogether probable that the plan would have succeeded.

But Mason heard of it just in time, the did not sit down and cry, as Garfield did on a somewhat similar occasion, over being compelled to prove treacherous to the friend whom he had come to support, but went out and worked. His friend refused to give up his plan, and Mason appealed to others. Member after member he saw, and told each one what his "fool friend" intended to do, and begged him not to vote for him. Said he: "It is the ambition of my life to be United States Senator, but I can never take the nomination with the imputation of treachery." One by one he actually pledegd over two-thirds of the entire Legislature to vote against him if his friend should persist in making the nomination. Then the friend gave up his plan.

When the Legislature came to elect

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When the Legislature came to elect When the Legislature came to elect a successor to Senator Palmer a year ago, Alderman Madden of Chicago was the most prominent candidate for that honor, Mason being a bad second. The decent element of Illinois was appalled. Mason might be a misfortune, Madden would be a calamity. It was impossible to elect any one who was not on good terms with the machine, and so those who dreaded Madden, who stood as a type of all that was vile is stood as a type of all that was vile in politics, united to elect Mason. They succeeded, and here he is. CRITTENDEN MARRIOTT.

RIOT AT BOMBAY.

MOST SERIOUS OUTBREAK IN INDIA IN YEARS.

Plague Party Stoned and Mobbed by an Enormous Crowd of Caste Men-Charge by Police-British

Soldiers Killed.

BOMBAY, March 9.—[By Indian Ca-ble.] Trouble arose here today through a plague party inquiring into the cause of the sickness of a Mohammedan woman. An enormous crowd of casts men gathered and stoned and mobbed the party, which retired for an escott of armed police and then returned and redemanded the surren ler of the patient, which was refused. A Parsce magistrate, who exhorted the populace not to resist the police, was himself struck, whereupon he ordered the police to charge. They did so, and four Mo-hammedans were killed and several

were wounded The disturbances spread with a larming rapidity, until the whole quarter around the Bhendi Bazaar presented a spectacle similar to that of the riots of 1893. The Mohammedans, who were joined by the Hindoos, assaulted every European or Erasian they met, and a hysterical mob attacked European dwellings in the suburb of Bycaulla. The residents barricaded themselves in

The residents barricaded themserves in their houses and fired blank cartridges from their windows, which drove the rioters off.

In the mean time troops were hurried to the scene, and a battery of artillery is now patrolling the Bhendi Bazaar. The outbreak was specially directed against Christians. It is rumored that two European soldiers were nearly two European soldiers were killed, but it is difficult, owing

excitement, to obtain correct details.

LATER.—The excitement has partially subsided this evening, but the
situation is till regarded as serious.
Cavairy has been ordered from Poonsh Cavalry has been ordered from Poonah to assist in patrolling the streets, and skulls.

Many European officers and many po-

skulls.

Many European officers and many policemen were severely handled and seriously injured. In several instances Europeans who were traversing the native section of the town alone were leaten or stabbed. Some were dangerously injured.

In various parts of the city plague ambulances were selzed and burned. Attempts were made to burn the hospitals, and the European nurses had narrew escapes. Finally they were escorted to a place of safety by the troops.

The mob attacked the Jamsetjee Hospital and badly wounded Gillespie, the house surgeon, but was repulsed by rifle volleys, and several of the rioters were killed. The total losses of the rioters are yet unknown, but the outbreak is regarded as the most alarming that has ccurred in India in many years.

AS LONDON GOT IT

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT,]

LONDON, March 9.-Special dispatches from Bombay say the riots

LONDON, March 9.—Special dispatches from Bombay say the rind already been killed and the police had fired on the mob and strake upon a plague-search party. Two soldiers, as these dispatches were sent, had already been killed and the police had fired on the mob, killing six persons arm wounding many others.

Other special dispatches from Bombay say that the plague inspector and thirty-seven men of the Shropshire Regiment were stoned to dearh.

A still later dispatch from Bombay says the mob attacked the hospital, burned the odices and stores and savagely assaulted the doctors, killing one of them. Detachments of the Shropshire Regiment and artillery were hurried to the scene, a volley was fired into the mob and seven persons were killed. Before this, the dispatch adds, two soldiers of the Shropshire Regiment and artilleryman were stoned to death. The riot is described as causing a tremendous sensation. All the available troops and artillery have been called out and business has been suspended.

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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles arch 9.—[Reported By George E. Franklin, cal Forecast Official.] At 5 oclock a.m. the rometer registered 29.96; at 5 p.m., 29.82. ermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 55 deg. Relative humid-ity, 5 a.m., 97 per cent.; 5 p.m., 85 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 9 miles. Maximum tempera-ture, 59 deg.; minimum temperature, 48 deg. Character of weather, 5 a.m., foggy; 5 p.m., cloudy. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, trace; rainfall for season, 4.30. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Temperature. - Maximum temperature March 8; minimum temperature, March 9: Max. Mi

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 DRY BULB TEMPERATURE.

Los Angeles 50 San Francisco .. San Diego 52 Portland

prevails on the California coast, with favor-able indications of rain in the southern por-tion and in the mountain sections, Light showers have fallen in Washington and Oregon, where the temperature has risen, though cool weather continues, with frost at . The temperature has fallen con east of the mountains.

Forecasts .- Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy and unsettled weather tonight, probably with showers; clearing WEATHER FORECAST:

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—For Southern California: Probably occasional showers to night; clearly Thursday; cooler.

WEATHER FORECAST. SAN FRANCISCO, March 9 .- For Souther California: Cloudy Thursday; continued cold weather; fresh northerly wind.

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

According to one of the newspapers of the City of Grief, that town has a Department of Lamentation, as is en tirely fit and proper.

San Diego's navy, the battleship Pinta, is tied up somewhere along shore with her boilers leaking and her sailors stranded. And once more grief sits upon the house tops of the seces-gion city, and refuses to come off her Dingy little cream-colored jackals of yellow journalism are trotting patiently

along in the wake of the saffron sheets and yapping defiance to all who con-demntheir bilious methods. If they can't be yellow themselves they can at least gather under the flutterings of the smallpox flag and gnaw the stray bones of exploded canards, while they snarl at truth and sanity.

Here is an overwhelming argument in favor of annexation. The Sacra-mento Bee says hungrily: "If Hawaii ever becomes a county of California, it will pay to be Sheriff. What a bill such an officer would have for mileage, if he brought prisoners to San Quentin and Folsom, bad boys to Whittier and insane people to Stockton and Napa. That would then be an office worth

An esteemed correspondent thus writes to The Times: "Please notify the farmers and fruit-growers not to worry about this being a dry season until after the 17th of Ireland. Weather cranks will all tell you that they have never known St. Patrick's day to be named. a dry day. The weather clerk always manages to send enough moisture on that day to enable the boys to drown their shamrocks."

The Chicago woman who routed a footpad with a hatpin, can claim the credit of having started a new fashion. It has spread even to a particularly naughty dance hall in Fresno, where a lady, who bears the graceful nickname of "Tar Flat," objected to being thrown out, and made a pincushion of every man in sight. If this goes on, the Spanish stiletto of romance won't be

It looks now as though Oakland would have to go into the cross-roads and corners of the rural settlements for encouragement in her consolidation eme. Her suburban neighbors show beautiful unanimity in their refusal to be gathered in out of the fog, and spice their "regrets" with unkind allusions to the surprise parties that have been happening right along in the nickel-plated aggregation that is supposed to rule the municipal affairs of their ambitious neighbor.

The Fresno Republican says: "Fresno is not getting its share of conventions, though owing to its favorable location and other advantages, it should be known as the Convention City. Fresno's greatest present need is a pavilion that will accommodate large gatherings and that can be used as an exposition hall. If we had such a structure, the great majority of the conventions that go to other cities would be held erecting an exposition building and convention hall it would pay for itself many times over in a few years, besides giving the city many thousands of dol-lars worth of advertising." Substituting the name of Los Angeles for Fresno, this is solid horse sense. The project of a convention hall has been mooted a number of times, and it i order that something should

CITRUS FRUIT FREIGHT RATES Joint Meeting to Be Held at Cham-

ber of Commerce This Afternoon. The fruit-growers, packe's and shippers and the various chambers of commerce of Southern California will hold a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce rooms today at 2 p.m. to discuss a reduction of freight rates on citrus fruits. The meeting promises to be an enthusiastic one, as it will be well attended from all sections. Delegates will be present from San Diego, Santa Ana, Riverside, Redlands, Pomona, Azusa and Duarte. The delegates from the Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce are O. D. Bishop, J. D. Thomas, Dr. W. B. Wall, H. K. Snow, C. F. Bennett, James F. Rice and George W. Minta. It is suggested that any one at all interested in the question of reduced freight rates on citrus fruits should be present. The fruit-growers, packe's and ship-

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MITCHELL HABEAS CORPUS CASE IN THE SUPREME COURT.

Angeles Police Court to Be Passed Upon-Mitchell and Chief

The question of the validity of the Los Angeles Police Court is now before the State Supreme Court in the Mitchell habeas corpus case. A special dispatch to The Times from San Francisco, re-ceived last night, says: "The Mitchell habeas corpus case

came up before the Supreme Court to-day, involving the question of the validity of the Police Court of Los Angeles. Assistant City Attorney Frank J. Thomas of Los Angeles appeared for the city. Attorney John T. Jones for Mitchell. Jones made the point that no action could be taken by the Supreme Court without the presence of Mitchell, and this point the court held to be well taken, and ordered the prisoner to be produced at the next hearing, which was adjourned till F.i-day. Thomas wired to Los Angeles to have Mitchell sent up on the first train."

train."
Chief of Police Glass has been sub-

Chief of Police Glass has been s-lbpoenaed to appear before the Supreme
Court to show cause why he should not
release Mitchell from custody.

Mitchell was found guilty in the Police Court of disturbing the peace
shortly prior to Judge Van Dyke's decision declaring the court invalid. He
was sentenced to pay a fine of \$30 with
the alternative of thirty days' imprisonment in the City Jail. He refused to
pay the fine and was released on bail
pending an appeal in his behalf to the
Supreme Court on a writ of habeas
corpus, through which it is sought to
obtain a final decision as to the validity
of the Police Court.

Mitchell and Chief Glass started for
San Francisco at 10:20 o'clock last night
to be present at Friday's session of the
Supreme Court.

ELECTRIC MAIL SERVICE.

Between Los Angeles and Pasadena

and Throughout This City. Postmaster Mathews has received in ormation from the department a Washington to the effect that after April I mail in this city will be transported by the electric cars between the main postoffice and stations B, G, K, F; H, D and J. To the important stations there will be four round trips daily, and three round trips to the other stations; also two trips on Sundays and holidays. This will be a vast daily, and three round trips to the other stations; also two trips on Sundays and holidays. This will be a vast improvement over the present service, both in point of speed and number of trips made each day. Under the present system a drop letter, if mailed in the morning, does not reach its destination until some time in the afternoon of the same day. With the electric-car service such a letter would be delivered the same morning. It now takes a wagon about three-quarters of an hour to bring the mail from University. The electric car will have it at the main office in less than twenty minutes.

Also, commencing April 1, the Pasadena and Los Angeles Electric Railway Company will convey the mail between Los Angeles and Altadena, delivering and receiving pouches from the intermediate points, viz.: Stations A and C, Highland Park, Garvanza and South Pasadena. There will be ten round trips daily between the main office and stations A and C, and seven round trips daily between the main office and Pasadena and intermediate points there will be three round trips daily. Two of these will be extended to Altadena. There will be no regular postal cars provided for this service, The usual-cars of the line will merely convey closed pouches between the points named.

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WHIPPED HIS HORSE.

A Teamster on Trial for Cruelty to an Animal.

A driver of a lumber wagon, J. S

Hathaway, was on trial yesterday be fore Justice Morrison for cruelly beat ing a horse. D. Kilpatrick and two so fore Justice Morrison for cruelly beating a horse. D. Kilpatrick and two other witnesses testified that Hathaway unmercifully beat the horse with the butt end of a blacksnake whip, for the result of the second of the witnesses. The animal got one leg over the neck-yoke and fell to the ground in its endeavor to escape the whip, but Hathaway continued to belabor the poor beast after it was down.

One of the witnesses was an old gentleman recently arrived from Boston. He characterized the beating as most uncalled for and inhumane, and remarked that such an act would not be tolerated in Boston. It was at his instigation that Mr. Kilpatrick swore out a warrant for the teamster's arrest.

Hathaway acted as his own lawyer and endeavored to prove by two witnesses that he gave the horse only an ordinary whipping, because it balked and refused to pull.

Justice Morrison was invited to examine the animal, which he did, but no marks from the beating could be found on it. The court reserved decision until today.

today. Where is Michael Daily?

George W. Pratt, editor of the Daily George W. Fratt, editor of the Daily, Journal of Corning, N. Y., wishes to obtain information regarding Michael S. Daily, butcher, who went, from Albany to Los Angeles twenty years ago, afterward going as a steward on a vessel to China, and on his return settled in San Diego.

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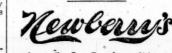
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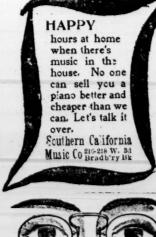
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FIERCE HURRICANE.

SWEEPS THE SEA AND SHORE ABOUT SYDNEY.

Steamer Moana Brings News of Devastation and Disaster to Two Brave Boats.

SUNK IN SIGHT OF LAND.

BRIG AND SCHOONER WRECKED AND ALL HANDS DROWNED.

Hundreds Saw the Horror, but Could Lend No Aid-Railroad Right-of-Way-Incorporation Papers Filed.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9 .- When the steamer Moana, which arrived to-day, left Sydney, a hurricane was blow-ing, spreading devastation on sea and hore. The brig Amy was wrecked and all hands on board were swept into be sea in sight of shore. Hundred of people saw the disaster, but were unable to lend any assistance, Captain and crew perished. Another vessel, a schooner, the name of which could not be ascertained, foundered and her crew of six were drowned.

WILL TAKE NO ACTION.

Los Angeles Case Dropped by the

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.- IExclusive Dispatch.] The Railroad Com-missioners yesterday afternoon listened to a communication from M. W. Armstrong of Los Angeles, who com-plained that the rates charged by the Santa Fé between Los Angeles and The Needles were in excess of the maximum allowed by law. The dis-tance is 315 miles, and the fare for single trip is \$16.75, or nearly 6 cents a mile.

An answer to the communication was received from W. G. Nevin, general manager of the Santa Fé. He said similar complaint had been made about two years ago, and he inclosed an answer made by his predecessor, the late K. H. Wade, to a former complaint. He added that conditions that existed then still prevailed, and that the 6-cents-a-mile rate charged from Barstow to The Needles, though apparently high, was not a high rate compared with rates on other roads in corresponding localities in Colorado and Montana.

The Commissioners recognized the right of the railroad to charge the rates in force, and decided to take no action on the matter.

RAILROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY.

Approved Across San Carlos Reserention-Opens Up Rich Country. (ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.)

SOLOMONVILLE (Ariz.) March 9. Word came to the Indian agency at San Carlos today from Washington to the effect that the President had approved the right-of-way agreement made by the Gila Valley and Globe and Northern Railway and the Apache Indians for right-of-way across the San Carlos Reservation, and Agent Rice says the railroad company will be authorized to proceed with the con-

struction.

This read was built from Bowie Sta-

This read was built from Bowle Station on the Scuthern Pacific road to Geronimo on the line of the reservation, three years ago, and was unable to proceed any further on account of the opposition of the Indians to its passing through their domain.

The road will now be constructed to Globe, which is sixty-five miles from Geronimo, at once. President Garland already has a construction outfit and material at Geronimo. Globe is the center of the richest copper districts in Arizona, and its progress has been retarded for years on account of the lack of rail connections.

CUT HIS BROTHER-IN-LAW.

W. P. Rogers Gets Drunk After His

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.-W. H. Weeks of this city was stabbed and seriously wounded by his brother-inlaw, W. P. Rogers, of Grass Valley, on Central overland train at Port Costa, about 8 o'clock tonight. The men were returning from the funeral of Mrs. Weeks, who died in San Francisco, and was taken to Nevada county Saturday for interment.

Rogers, who was accompanied by his little girl, was under the influence of liquor and in a quarrelsome mood. At Sacramento he flourished a revolver. which was taken away from him. When the train reached Port Costa he startle the other occupants of the Pullman by the other occupants of the Pullman by suddenly drawing a knife and slashing Weeks, who is 70 years old, across the face, cutting entirely through the left cheek and making an ugly gash just above the temporal artery. Dr. T. B. Berry of the United States Marine Hospital Service, who was on the train, sewed up the wounds. He says that though Weeks lost much blood he will recover. Rogers was turned over to the authorities at Oakland.

ANARCHY AT HAINAN.

Bands of Outlaws Raiding, Looting

and Murdering.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] VANCOUVER (B. C.,) March 9 .- Adrices from the Orient say that a state of anarchy prevails on the island of Hainan. Eands of outlaws said to number 6000 men have raided eleven military camps and twenty-eight viimilitary camps and twenty-eight villages, murdering and looting in their course. It is impossible to describe the triumphant march of murder and lust through peaceful pastoral towns surrounding the city of Kiachaow. After a week of slaughter the anarchists grew weary and thought. of safety. They erected barricades in the mountains behind Kiachaow and stored up enough provisions to last them a year. A greatly superior force of military is being mobilized to clear them out.

BIG IRRIGATION SCHEME.

To Convey Water from the Sierr Nevadas to the Pacific

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 9 .- Princ Poniatowski is at the head of a pany which proposes, within a year, to bring at least 10,000 horse power from the waters now running to waste on the western slope of the Sierra Ne-vada Mountains in Alpine, Amador and Calaveras counties, by means of an electrical line 110 miles in length to

The water supply embraces the Blue

Lakes Water Company's system in the Lakes Water Company's system in the above named counties, which consists of various natural lakes and artificially-constructed reservoir basins, ranging in altitude from \$109\$ to 5670 feet above sea level. A system of canals will convey the water to the point of its conversion into eletrical power which will be conveyed through heavy copper wire. The wires will cross the San Francisco Bay at an elevation of 125 feet over the shallow waters opposite San Leandro where there is not much traffic, and on its way here will pass through five counties. The cost of the plant is estimated flat \$1,000,000. Many prominent electricians and capitalists are interested in the enterprise.

RAILROAD EXPERT

Representing English Capital Look ing Over the Ground at Freamo

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] FRESNO, March 9.—J. W. H. James a railroad expert from London, ar-rived here today. He is accompanied by Col. A. W. Jones and Maj. P. P. Dandridge, president and chief engineer of a company organized to build railroad from Fresno to Monterey. a railroad from Fresno to Monterey.

James is here representing London capitalists. He has traveled from Hollister over the proposed route by team and and and will now return to Hollister and go from there by team to Monterey. If his report be favorable, the capitalists who have sent him here will advance the money with which to build the road. He expresses himself as well satisfied with the route so far as he has gone over it.

BIG LAND PURCHASE.

Atlantic and Pacific Grant Sold t

the Santa Fe. PRESCOTT (Ariz.,) March 9.—The land grant in Arizona of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad was sold under foreclosure here today by Karl A. Snyder, master-in-chancery. First Vice President and General Solicitor E. D President and General Solicitor E. D. Kenna and Treasurer E. Wilder of the Santa Fé Company, and Capt. C. N. Sterry, solicitor of the Santa Fé, Pacific and Southern California road, were present at the sale. Only two bids were offered for the land, one of \$5000 and the other of \$5500. Treasurer Whder made the latter bid, and the entire grant of 1,500,444 acres was knocked down to him at less than balf a cent lown to him at less than half a cen

an acre.

The party leaves tonight for Los Angeles, where lands belonging to the company in California will be sold Saturday.

A Georgia Murderer Arrested.

A Georgia Murderer Arrested. MODESTO, March 9.—Sheriff Purvis returned from Contra Costa county this afternoon with Joseph Waine, who is wanted for killing a man named W. H. Buice in Cherokee, Ga., in August last. After the killing Waine came to Modesto, where he formerly lived, but left here and went to his brother's home in Contra Costa county, where he was arrested. A telegram from Georgia was received this afternoon stating that a deputy sheriff would come at once for the prisoner.

Steam Whaling Company Wins. Steam Whaling Company Wins.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—A jury in the Superior Court today entered a verdict of \$50,000 damages in favor of the Pacific Steam Whaling Company and against the Alaska Packers' Association. The action was instituted to collect \$100,000 that the plaintiffs alleged they had lost because they and their employes were unlawfully driven from the profitable salmon fisheries in the open waters of the ocean, near the Karluck River, Alaska, by the employes of the Packers' Association, who own extensive canneries in that vicinity.

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NAPA, March 9.—In the Clark murder trial today the entire venire of 120 men was exhausted with but nine jurors secured. Dist.-Atty, Sell sprang a sensation by challenging the qualifications of the Sheriff to act in summening another venire. This caused a discussment of the trial until Set. moning another venire. This caused an adjournment of the trial until Saturday. The court then decided that the Sheriff was disqualified by reason of his expressed projudice against the defendant and J. W. Wright was appointed to summon fifty more talesmen.

Flannelly Arguments Opened.

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SAN JOSE, March 9.—Dist.-Atty.
Walker of San Mateo county opened
the argument in the Flannelly murder
trial this morning, on behalf of the
people. It is not believed the case can
reach the jury before tomorrow afternoon. Now that the evidence is all in,
there is considerable comment heard,
and while it is agreed that the defendant made a pretty good witness for
himself, there is no favorable corroborative testimony.

Want Bonding Privilege.

SPOKANE, March 9.—The Spokane Chamber of Commerce last evening unanimously adopted resolutions in favor of the continuance of the bonding privilege to Canadian railroads, and requesting the Washington Congressional delegation to oppose the bill now pending for the rescinding of such privilege. In discussing the matter the opinion was generally expressed that the interests of Washington require Canadian Pacific competition. Pacific competition.

Freight Bureau Revived.

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DENVER, March 9.—The old Colorado-Utah Freight Bureau, which went out of existence about one year ago, was revived today by the organization of an association of traffic men of seven western roads. C. H. Griffin, chairman of the Salt Lake Traffic Bureau, was selected as agent of the Colorado-Utab Freight Bureau, and the offices of the bureau will be at Salt Lake.

Sacramento's Police Court. SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—A suit test the legality of the Police Court of Sacramento was argued in the Su-preme Court and taken under advise-ment. The question came up on a write of habeas corpus, and it was argued that the Police Court of that city was not instituted according to the provis-ions of the State Constitution.

Incorporation Papers Filed. PHOENIX (Ariz..) March 9.—Articles of incorporation of the Johannesburg Land and Water Company have been filed in the office of the Territorial Secretary. The incorporators are Henry A. Darling, George H. Curtis, Walter Rose, A. M. Squires and Donald Barker. They are residents of Los Angeles and Chicago.

Seven Hoff Jurors Obtained. SAN FRANCISCO, March 9—Albert Frederick George Vereneseheckockock-hoff, otherwise known as Albert Hoff, charged with the murder of Mrs. Mary A. Clute on the 15th of last December, was arraigned for trial in Department Twelve of the Superior Court today. Seven jurors were obtained.

Carriage for a Battery.

PORTLAND (Or.,) March 9.—The first of the carriages for the battery of heavy rifled mortars which is to form a part of the fortifications under erection at Fort Stevens for the defense of the mouth of the Columbia, was transferred, from the cars today to a barge for shipment to its destination.

VICTORIA (B. C.,) March 9.—Hon. F. D. W. Higgins today resigned the Speakership of the Provincial Legislature, having announced that he could no longer support the present government.

SPORTING RECORD

M'COY" CLAIMS TWO

HE CROWNS HIMSELF.

Says His Challenge Has Remained Unnecepted and His Forfelt Money Uncovered.

CHAMPIONSHIPS.

FITZSIMMONS HAD DUE NOTICE.

NEW CHAMPION SIGNS ARTICLES TO MEET RUBLIN.

oted Spanish Torendor Deadmarkable Dumb-bell Feat. Race Summaries.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] INDIANAPOLIS, March 9 .- "Kid McCoy," in a signed statement today, heavyweight championships of the world. He asserts that his forfeit of \$5000 has never been covered, and that under all laws of the prize ring he is

entitled to both championships.

Personal notice had been served upon
Fitzsimmons of the "Kid's" intentions. Closing his statement, McCoy says: "Therefore, my challenge, being un-accepted, and my forfelt money un-covered, I claim the middleweight and heavyweight championships of

world, and will defend them according to the rules of the prize ring." McCoy tonight signed articles for a fight with Gus Ruhlin, another claim ant for the championship. The articles call for a match at catch-weights, to be held within three months before the club offering the largest purse or pencentage. The match is to be for the world's championship. CALLS HIMSELF CHAMPION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] INDIANAPOLIS, March 9.—"Kid" McCoy today withdrew the \$5000 for-feit money which was placed with Richard K. Fox when McCoy challenged Fitzsimmons and Corbett several weeks ago. McCoy has announced himself champion heavyweight pugilist of the world. McCoy will now ac-cept all challenges from heavyweight puglists and has signed a contract to fight Gus Ruhlin within twelve weeks. The fight will possibly take place at

TRAVERSER WON

The Rancho del Paso Handicap Oakland.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—Traverser took up 124 pounds in the Rancho del Paso handicap, over a mile, for three-year-olds, and with Thorp in the saddle clipped around the track in 1:40% at Oakland today. Marplot, with 108 pounds and Tod Sloan up, stayed with the chestnut for the first six furlongs, which was covered in 1:04, and there had enough. Traverser won in easy fashion, six lengths in front of Linstock. Twinkler, against which as good as 150 to 1 was laid, took

OAKLAND SUMMARIES. SAN FRANCISCO, March 9 .- The

rack fast, Results: track fast, Results:
Five furlongs, selling: Miss Rowena,
105 (Thorpe.) 1 to 2, won; Towanda,
105 (R. Narvaez., 60 to 1, second; Mordecal, 110 (H. Brown.) 20 to 1, third;
time 1:02½. Glenn Anne, Rosa, Fleming, Na Pogue, St. Philip, Muldrew,
Judge Napton, Little T. G. and Main
Bar also ran.

Bar also ran.
Four furlongs, selling:
105 (Spencer.) 6 to 1, won; Semicolon.

112 (Thorpe.) 11 to 10, third; time 1:15. Imperious and Hohenlohe also ran. One mile, the Rancho del Paso handicap, purse \$1250: Traverser, 124 (Thorpe.) 6 to 5, won; Linston, 107 (H. Martin.) 16 to 5, second; Twinkler. (Holmes,) 100 to 1, third; (Holmes,) 100 to 1, third; 10%. Gotobed also ran. Six furlongs: Paul Griggs,

140%, Gotobed also ran.
Six furlongs: Paul Griggs, 110
(Dersey.) I to 2, won; Tea Rose II, 98
(Clawson.) 16 to 5, second; Bellicoso.
166 (Conley.) 8 to 1, third; time 1:14. Q. Ban, California, Libertine, C. one mile and an eighth, selling Lincoln II, 105-(Clawson,) 2 to 1, won Red Glenn, 103 (Spencer,) 12 to 1, sec-ond; Paul Pry, 109 (Clayton,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:55. Widow Jones, Serene, Peter the Second and Our Climate also

KELLOGG HORSE SALE.

Some Prices Were Good-In General Bidding Was Light.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT PEPORT.]

NEW YORK, March 9 .- The Kellogg nerse sale was continued at Madison Square Garden today. While some of the prices obtained were good, in genprices obtained were good, in genral bidding was light. The best prices Stock of William Corbett's follow: Stock of William Corbett's San Mateo stock farm of California, blk. g, by Sable Wilkes-Flora Grande. H. E. Demorest, Orange, N. J., \$650; blk. c., 1897, by Oro Wilkes-Mary B., by Guy Wilkes, J. E. Cochran, Newark Farms, Del, \$1025; Mary Best (2:12½ at 1898), bt. m. 1890 by Cory, Wilkest Farms, Del. \$1025; Mary Best (2:12½ a 4 years.) ch. m., 1890, by Gov. Wilkes Montrose, by Sultan, H. Smith, Brock ton, Can., \$2250; Oro Wilkes (2:11.) blk. s., 1890, by Sable Wilkes-Ellen May hew, by Director, James W. Daly, M. Kfisco, N. Y., \$4700; b. f., 1897, by Gu Wilkes-Blanche, J. E. Cochran, Jr Chester, Pa., \$550; Anna G., br. m. 1885, by Le Grande-Hannah Price, b Arthur, to C. H. Smith, Brocktot Can., \$500. an., \$2500.

New Orleans Races. NEW ORLEANS, March 9,-

waither was fine and track fast. Results:
Six furlongs: Takanassee won, Meddier second, Sim W. third; time 1:14%. Five furlongs, two-year-olds: Sulpharic won, Dolly Regent second, Dr. Sam third; time 1:03.
Mile and twenty yards: Robert Benner won, Nannie L.'s Sister second, Little Bramble (third; time 1:44.
Six andahalf furlongs: Globe II won, Udah second, Bertha Nell third; time 1:274.

Mile and an eighth: Kingstone won, Jim Conway second, Dumaine third; time 1:57%. Seven furlongs: K. C. won, Lillian E. second, Hurns third; time 1:28.

Noted Spanish Torendor Dend. MADRID, March 9.—The celebrated toreador, Frascuelo, died yesterday. The interest taken in his illness was so great that bulletins were displayed at the house where he expired, and the Queen Regent and high officials

made repeated inquiries regarding his

Drawing for Coursing.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—The drawing for the coursing at Union Park Saturday and Sunday resulted as follows: Chit Chat vs. Lily B., Coralie vs. Blucher, Metallic vs. Rosette, Little Brown Jug vs. Santa Alicia, Monotohy vs. Douglas, Commodore vs. Pasha, Moore's Prescription vs. St. Lawrence, Crow Dog vs. Koolawn, Sportsman vs. Amorita, The Turk vs. Mercy May, Arapahoe vs. Bonita, Chartist vs. Kingston, Electric vs. Tod Sloan, Green Valley Maid vs. Benicia Boy, Tom Hayes vs. Diana, Gold King vs. Cavaller, Susie vs. Blackstone, Carmen vs. Gallagher, White Chief vs. Sylvia, Kilkenny Girl vs. Tenona, Meta vs. Firm Friend, Theron vs. Black Patti, Mountain Beauty vs. Defender, Magic vs. Mollie Bawn, Rusty Gold vs. Lightining, Lady Grace vs. Joy Bells, Silkwood vs. Waratah, Eclipse vs. Lissak. Drawing for Coursing.

Pretty Near a Stand-off. Jim Thomas of Chicago and Sam Bennett of Montreal, Que. fought ten rounds to a draw, south of here. It was a stand-off until the last round, when Thomas landed seven times on Bennett's face without getting a return.

Remarkable Feat With Dumb-bells. CHICAGO, March 9.—Henry Leverson of Chicago has lifted two tenson of Chicago has lifted two tenson of the control of the contr

GOT ALL THERE WAS.

FOUR MASKED MEN HELD UP SALOON IN GALLUP.

Drove People in from the Street an Robbed Them—Then Rified Cash Register and Gaming Tables. Disappeared Leaving No Trace.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] ALBUQUERQUE (N. M.,) March 9.—
[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four masked men held up Kitchen & Kennedy's saloon in Gallup at 10:40 o'clock last night and got away with \$500 in the presence of a house full of people. The sobbars first drove everybody from the robbers first drove everybody from the street into the saloon and then de-prived them of whatever valuables

vere in their possession.

They also robbed the cash register and the gambling tables. When they had secured all their booty the desperadoes took their departure through the back door, firing shots as they did so to terrify their victims. No trace of them has been discovered.

FATAL QUARREL.

Young Gehrig Shot His Chum David Then Killed Himself. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

LANCASTER (Pa.,) March 9.—Roy Gehrig of Milton, Pa., shot and prob-Gentry of Milton, Fa., shot and probably fatally wounded Will E. Davis, of St. Clair, Pa., at Millersville today, and then killed himself. The boys were pupils of Pierce's Business College, at Philadelphia, and went to Millersville Saturday to call upon two lady students at the Normal School there. They re-turned to the village last night about tar the Normal School there. They feet turned to the village last night about 10 o'clook, and securing a room at Hoak's Hotel, retired immediately. Early this morning the inmates of the place were startled by a fusillade of pistol shots, and a moment later havis came running downstairs with blood gushing from several wounds in his face. Another shot was heard, followed by the sound of a body failing to the floor. Davis ran into the bar-room, exclaiming: "My chum shot me!"

Davis was in bed when Gehrig, who was walking about the room, drew a pistol and fired three times in quick succession at Davis. Those who rushed to the room where the tragedy occurred, found Gehrig lying on the floor with a bullet hole in his left temple. He died without regaining consciousness. A note written by Gehrig, was found, explaining the tragedy as follows:

"We are dead in love with Alice

Four furlongs, selling: Semicolon, 106 (Spencer,) 6 to 1, wore, Oraibe, 106 (Spencer,) 6 to 1, wore, Oraibe, 106 (H. Martin,) 5 to 1, second; Toluca, 97 (Gray,) 8 to 1, third; time 0:49%. Mossbare, Malay, Santello, Buena Ventura, Purmiah, Enge, Dunpraise and Uhler also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Chihuahua, 103 (Clawson,) 3 to 2, wore, Soscol, 101 (Clawson,) 3 to 2, wore, Soscol, 101 (Clawson,) 40 to 1, second; Odds On, 112 (Thorpe,) 11 to 10, third; time 1:15, Imperious and Hohenloke also ran. Imperious and Hohenloke also ran.

of the ultimatum has expired, M. Pavloff, the Russlan Charge d'Affaires at Peking, explains that he has not taken action because China has instructed her Minister at St. Petersburg o seek an audience with Empere Sicholas with a view of obtaining withdrawal of the Russian demands.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW OFINES that State Legislatures Have No Right to Fix Rates.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, March 9.—Discussing the decision of the United States Su-

to say that when people with money build a railway, and after they have enjoyed interest on their investment for a few years, they are sufficiently rewarded, and the State should take the road and confiscate the capital.

"Of course, if the people who have money to build railroads believed that this doctrine would prevail, no more railways would be built. If the doctrine had been sustained by the Supreme Court, there would have been a panic in railroad securities. Every investor would have understood that he held his stock subject to its being made worthless by an act of some Legislature."

SI TUCKER, COWARD AND HERO. The Change Wrought in a Boy

When Compelled to Face Fire. When Compelled to Face Fire.
[New York Sun:] "I was in command of Fort Lamkin, a mortar earthwork in rear of Gen. Bushrod Johnson's
lines at Petersburg in 1864," says
George Cary Eggleston in his book of
southern soldier stories that will be
issued by the Macmillans in a few days.
"The fort was named for our immediate commander from whose command we had been detached for this
service.

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"One day Lamkin himself came to me when I was at his headquarters. He was in trouble.

"This boy, Si Tucker," he said, 'is the son of one of the best friends I ever had in 'the world. The boy is a coward. He literally lives in a rathole. I have repeatedly pulled him out by the legs, only to have him crawl back again the moment I let go of his ankles. I don't know what to do. It's my duty, of course, to prefer charges of cowardice against him; and if I do he will certainly be shot, and his father is my, best, friend."

"He paused, and then said with eageness in his voice: 'Why can't you take him?"

"I agreed at once. I told him I would take the boy with me to my plis and make 'either a soldier or a stiff out of him within the next twenty-four hours. I was under no obligations to his father; I had never even met any of his relatives, and I had seen too many years of service to have much patience with cowardice.

"The boy was sent for and ordered to go with me. We walked down toward Blanford Church. At the proper point we turned out of the Jerusalem plank road across the fields toward Fort Lamkin. Half-way there, and on top of a little hill, which was sespedially exposed to the gaze of the sharbshooters, I made Si Fucker sit down by my side. There we came to an understanding. I told him he had been assigned to me to be shot out of hand, or to be court-martialed for cowardic-which, at that particular juncture of the war, meant very much the same thing. I explained to him that he was about to join a detachment composed exclusively of men specially selected for their courage—every one of them a volunteer for what was deemed a peculiarly dangerous service. I explained further that I should require him to do his duty as they did theirs.

"You have 'managed to make for yourself. I said, 'a reputation of a coward. You have managed to make for yourself. You have managed to make for yourself, at the proper of the magazine mound to watch the enemy's fire, and direct our own. If I

william Davis of St. Clair. Please in William Davis at once. We would like to be cremated, so notify our partents at once. We would like to be cremated, so notify our partents at once. We would like to be cremated, so notify our partents at once. The partents at once and denies that there was any compact to commit suicide. It seems, from all that chat the the suicide of the ladies by Davis, was introduced to the ladies by Davis, was perfectly the summings, and that he and Davis had a dispute over her. Gehrig then, it is supposed decided to kill Davis and take his own life, and wrote the note to make the affair appear like a double suicide. They were each about 19 years of age.

WHO GEHRIG WAS...

[ASSOCIATED PIESS DAY REPORT.]
PHILADELPHIA. March 9.—At Pièrce's Collège it was stated that Gehrig feft the school for good on Monday. It was stated that was of a peculiarly nervous dissosition, Gebrigs father is a broker at Milton, and Davis's father is a coal operator at St. Clair.

[ASSOCIATED PIESS NIGHT REPORT.]
LONDON, March 9.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Pekking correspondent of the Times, despite Chinese denial that the Russian demands as to Port Arthur and Talien-Wan per in the nature of an ultimatum, maintained the certectness of his original dispatch of Sinday list, to the effect that Russiah ad cailed upon China to surrender all soverigin rights upon the signing of an agr. ment within a month.

He now adds: "Although the period of the times, despite Chinese denial that the case of Germany at Kisochau, giving her five days for a reply, and missting upon the signing of an agr. ment within a month.

He now adds: "Although the period of the ultimatum has expired, M. Pavloft, the Russian Charge d'Affaires at Peking. explains that he has not taken action because China has indicated the surface and continued the crement of the proposition of the times before we could stop him." The men in that he has not taken action because China has indicated that the has not taken action because China has indicated the part of th

he did it three times before we could stop him.

That evening, near the gloaming, he did another thing. The lines had by that time been restored. The men if the crater—those of them who had not been killed—had been driven back to the Federal side. We became aware of the fact that a poor fellow of our own was lying grievously wounded near the Federal side of the fifty yards that separated our works from the enemy's. He had been lying there through all that long, flerce summer day. The explosion at daylight had cast him there. His greans and his cries for help and for water were piteous in the extreme. We

NEW YORK, March 9.—Discussing the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the Nebraska maximum-freight rate case, Chauncey M. Depew, president of the New York Central Rallroad, said:

"The contention of the men who framed the Nebraska law and people in other Western States who agree has been for years that the Legislatures have the right to confiscate railroad property within the States by fixing rates so low as to leave no return to stock and bondholders.

"Some of them have gone so far as

Nobody in the battery ever remembered after that that Si Tucker had once been a coward. After all, it is perhaps, mainly a question of nerves." A Fool Priest.

[Topics in Tulare Register:] Once there was a fool in the pulpit and it was an assistant priest in St. Peter's Catholic Church at Rondout, N. Y. He was an assistant priest in St. Peter's Catholic Church at Rondout, N. Y. He preached a sermon over the remains of a member of the Knights of St. John in which, according to the dispatches, he told the knights that, in the event of war with Spain it would be their duty as good Catholics to take up arms against the United States, winding up with the declaration that McKinley and his Cabinet ought to be blown up as well as the Maine. His excuse for talking so was that he was a Catholic and talking to Catholics. In justice to the knights be it said that they were incensed at the words of the fool priest and declared that, to a man, they would rally around the Star-Spangled Banner in the event of war with Spain, but there is this particular notorlety that the Rev. F. Weber is entitled to: He is the first citizen of America to utter a treasonable sentiment anent the Spanish controversy, and the Knights of St. John showed themselves wanting in manhood that they did not rush to the pulpit, seize that priest and duck him in the nearest horse trough. rush to the pulpit, seize that priest and

rush to the pulpit, selze that priest and duck him in the nearest horse trough.

Topics is reminded by the foregoing incident that religion is not much in the way when there is a bit of a fight on hand. Catholic Spain is now warring with Catholic Cuba with relentless brutality. Catholic Austria overran Catholic Italy and laid it waste with fire and sword. Catholic Spain warred for the better part of eighty years against Protestant Holland and Catholic Belgium. Catholic France overlie Belgium. Catholic France over-ran Catholic Spain and put its own King upon the throne. Catholic Irish-men have fought for Protestant Eng-land against Catholic France. Catho-lic Austria and Catholic France fought each other time and again. Catholic France put an Emperor on the throne of Catholic Mexico and Catholic Mexico revolted and shot to death the Cathorevolted and shot to death the Catholic usurper, then turned and confiscated the property of the Catholic Church, shut up Catholic monasteries and played smash generally. Greek Catholic Russia sided with Protestant Prussia against Catholic France. In short, neither the Catholic church nor any other, except the Quaker, is a bar to a hot time when any one, man or country, gets angry. Catholic nation has fought Catholic, and Protestant nation has fought Protestant over matters so trivial that individuals would not have gone to law about them. A bit of bunting, a quarrel between titled nobodies and the powder begins to pop and the only use for religion is to comfort the dying and bury the dead. In fine the world does not seem to have any better sense than that fool priest at Rondout.

He Was Getting On. He Was Getting On.

[Unidentified:] "How are you getting along at school, Johnny?" asked a father of his six-year-old hopeful. "Guess teacher's going to promote me," replied Johnnie. "What makes you think so?" asked the proud father. "Because," answered the precocious youth, "she said today that if I kept on I'd soon be in the criminal class."

There is no other valor in the world that ven stands comparison with that displayed

There is no other valor in the world that even stands comparison with that displayed by the woman called upon to protect her children from violence. There is no weapon that a woman will not wield and no danger that she will not dare. It is before and after their birth that too many women fail to protect their children from the greatest of all dangers, the most blighting of all inheritances—feeble and sickly bodies.

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EVERY-DAY HAPPENINGS

IN HAVANA. WHAT THE CUBANS SAY ABOUT THE MAINE DISASTER.

Special Correspondence of The Times.

HAVANA (Cuba,) Feb. 19, 1898. an account of the sometal tunes swarmed her decks. The road to Jarral of our poor boys of the Maine—the most splendid public demonstration which Havana has witnessed in a quarter of a century.

You may imagine the thirty coffins in a row in the grand salon of the cantain-general's palace the lines of villages country houses and sugar ral of our poor boys of the Maine-the

in a row in the grand salon of the captain-general's palace, the lines of floral tributes and the tens of thousands of sad-faced people of all nationalities, many of them in tears, who came to view the black boxes; the twenty-four hearses, the hundreds of horses with nodding plumes, the long procession of carriages and pedestrians, and the band playing solemn dirges. Every official of the Spanish government participated—even the bishop, who has taken part in but one previous funeral. Perhaps the most previous funeral. Perhaps the most pathetic part of the procession was the 3000 reconcentrados who brought up the rear. Ragged, hatless, barefooted and dirty, hardly able to walk from sickness and starvation, they followed humbly in the rear. Knowing that the dead were citizens of the United States—the country which has sent them the country which has sent them food and on which they base all their hopes of better days, they expressed their gratitude in the only way they

Let nobody persuade you that Spain was responsible for the great disaster. In all probability it was an accident, which will be explained in the course of the pending investigation; or at the worst the horrible crime was commit-ted by some fresponsible lunatic, like a Guitteau or Booth, or the last assassin of the President of France. Everything in the power of man to do for the relief of the survivors and to further the full investigation has been done by the Spanish government and the people of Havana. They bore the entire cost of the funeral and nobody in the city will accept any pay for the service rendered. Neither pains nor expense has been spared, and the fathers and mothers of the men could not have been kinder. The marines of the Spanish man-of-war that lay along-side the Maine in the harbor, and the bomberos (firemen) of Havana, risked their lives in assisting on the night of the full investigation has been One of them is to the effect that for some time a strange man had been haunting the United States consulate, begging Gen. Lee to send the Maine away, as schelling; horrible was about to be done to her. They thought he was a crank, such as frequently visit the White House, and sent him away again and again; but now they are diligently hunting for him and he cannot be found. I heard one of the officers of the Maine say that it was not possible for a bomb to have the officers of the Maine say that it was not possible for a bomb to have been exploded beneath her. The keel lay within two and one-half feet of the bottom of the harbor, and a bomb large enough to destroy the big vessel could not have been crowded between the mud and the keel; furthermore, a depopulated the country. It happened bomb of sufficient capacity to have lifted the Main would also have wrecked Havana and destroyed every

other ship in the harbor.
An oft-repeated canard is that the commanding officer of the Maine, when the first explosion occurred, sent five men down to remove the gunpowder and dynamite in the hold, in order to and dynamite in the hold, in order to save the city, and that the men obeyed, knowing that it meant death to them all. As a matter of fact but a few seconds elapsed between the first alarm and the final explosion, and there was no time for the giving of any orders whotever.

mg letters for them to their wives and sweethearts, and carrying them the grapes and cigarettes and little luxuries which some of them crave. In no case have I been allowed to pay a lacion!" In vain I tried to dodge the penny for anything for the hospital; honor, and to persuade the people to wait for Miss Clara Barton, who would to place his entire stock at my dispoprobably come to Jaruco later on, and These are the worst cases among the living, all the rest having died here, or been sent to Key West. They are all patient and cheerful fellows, bearing their pains like heroes. Though terribly burned, their severest injuries came from being dashed with such violence against the rocks. Among them is Fred C. Holzer of New the rocks. York City, with both legs and arms entirely helpless, besides terrible burns and bruises. [Since dead.] One of the most pitiable cases is that of William Mattingly, a handsome young fellow from Bay City, Mich. His jaw is crushed and his whole body a mass of injuries, and so excrutiating are his sufferings that he is kept most of the time under the influence of opiates. burned and powder-blackened The burned and powder-blackened faces of all are covered with sheets of cotton batting, put on helmet-fashion, with slits for eyes, mouth and nostrils; and Sister Mary Wilberforce of the English Red Cross Society, who is their devoted nurse, calls them her crusaders in battle array. This dear little woman has washed and dressed their wounds from the first, cheered the living and closed the eyes of the the living and closed the eyes of the dying, as only an angel in mortal guise could do.

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Some thirty bodies are now in the morgue, or rather horrible bits of bo ies, brought up from the sea during the last few hours by ropes and grap-pling hooks and dumped into boxes, to be buried as quickly as possible. Out in the splendid Cemetery de Cristobal Colon, where several wide graves have each received their complement of cof-Colon, where several wide graves have each received their complement of coffins, other trenches are kept in readiness for receiving the remains of our boys as fast as they are found. Yesterday I made a trip with some Cuban friends to Jaruco, thirty miles from the capital. As we crossed the ferry at 5 o'clock in the morning to the railway station on the other side of the bay, we passed close to the melancholy wreck of the Maine. A fleet of small boats was employed at their gruesome

HAVANA (Cuba,) Feb. 19, 1898.

ONG before this letter can reach that way a few days ago, en route to Guanabacoa, how proud we were of our an account of the "official" fune-who swarmed her decks! The road to Javice lies through a most beautiful

captain-general's palace, the lines of spanish soldiers standing silently on guard, the thousands of magnificent guard, the thousands of magnificent floral tributes and the tens of thouthe villages mere heaps of ruins. Here and there is a small block fort, or a straw-thatched camping station for a portion of the Spanish army; but not a sign of other occupation or a single trace of the former inhabitants. The latter, who have not been killed in battle or died in prison, are all among the reconcentrades who are starving at Havana or Jaruco, or are among the 200,000 already dead by starvation. The insurgents have burned cane fields and killed the cattle and destroyed the villages, to prevent the Spanlards from being benefited by them, and the Span-lards in retaliation have destroyed the people. Our train was strongly guarded by Spanish soldiers, for ev-ery hillock might hide a troop of in-surgents, and trains are frequently attacked. Under pretext of adjusting a refractory window, a dark-visaged, poorly-dressed stranger—evidently a rebel in disguise, whispered in my ear, "Don't be alarmed, the insurgents will not attack this train; there are Americans on board!" It is said that the movements of all foreigners in Cuba are closely watched, by Spaniards on one side and the rebels on the other; so that, notwithstanding the extreme

kindness and courtesy we are con-stantly receiving, there is always the uncomfortable feeling of being "be-tween two fires." our visit to Jaruco happened to oc-cur on the second anniversary of the raid of the late insurgent chief, Maceo, when he laid the city in ruins. Before that day it was rather an impor-tant place of 12,000 inhabitants; now it numbers about 5000, three-fourths of whom are in a state bordering on starnot have been kinder. The marines of the Spanish man-of-war that lay along-side the Maine in the harbor, and the bomberos (firemen) of Havana, risked their lives in assisting on the night of the disaster, and the doctors in the Spanish military hospital of San Ambrosio, where many of the wounded were taken, neither slept nor ate for thirty-six hours, in unremitting care of the suffering. Of course, in time of war, when feeling runs so high, all manner of stories are in circulation. One of them is to the effect that for some time a strange man had been prison and graveyard. The latter is an immense bare inclosure on top of a hill. A small, high-walled space shows the cemetery of two years ago-all the rest having been added since Maceo's raid. I asked how many were killed in the battle. "Oh, nobody was killed then," they said: "there was no battle. Maceo only rushed through, burning villages as he went. After ward the Spanish soldiers followed in pursuit and murdered many people;

depopulated the country. It happened that the first carload of food from the United States was attached to our train. We did not know it when we left Havana, and were in no way re-sponsible for the good deed; but the grateful Jarucans could not be made to understand that. In spite of our re peated protests and explanations, that we came merely as visitors and had nothing to do with the food, the entire population turned out to welcome us, headed by the Jefe, the Alcalde and the Judge; we were escorted in state through the city, followed by several thousand people, given the best break-I am spending a few hours every fast the place afforded, loaded with day with the wounded men who remain in the Hospital de San Ambrosia, writthe climax, your humble correspondent make her their "Patroness." I was the first American woman who had visited them, and upon my defenseless head the full measure of their grati-

tude was wreaked! It was as heartbreaking as 'embarrassing.' A very large majority of the crowd were like living skeletons—an army of beggars with swollen feet and emaciated bodies, victims of fever, hunger and "miseria." Patiently they followed us about, from street to street and house to house, where we were led by the "delegation" like lambs to the slaughter, and at every opportunity they pressed to kiss my hand. How guilty I felt to eat the breakfast served in the moson, with that hungry crowd waiting patiently and respectfully outside! How I begged the "delegation" to let the sightseeing go—that I would come another day for that, if they would only open some of those blessed bales and boxes and feed the hungry multitude. "Si, Señora, juerida, no so moteste," they said; "Yes, dear lady. Don't disturb yourself; they shall be fed tomorrow." Had it been in the United States the cover would have been knocked off and the multitude fed within an hour after the train arrived; but "mañana" (tomorrow) rules all How I begged the "delegation"

but "mañana" (tomorrow) rules all things in Spanish-America. The kind and benevolent souls, actuated by the very best intentions, could not be made to realize that for the starving immediate work would be far better than a thousand words; and the reconcentrades themselves, expecting nothing else, meekly folded their skeleton arms

ragged garment, dirty beyond description, and was the worst case of itch I ever beheld. We bought some medicine for the disease and explained its application and provided the family with food for a few days—but what good will that do in the depths of their misery and the hopelessness of their good will that do in the depths of their misery and the hopelessness of their future? If the readers of The Times could have been with me that day in Jaruco, they would not rest until aid societies were formed for the making of garments for these wretched crea-tures. Elaborate clothes and cast-off finery, are not proceed. finery are not needed; but sacques and skirts of serviceable cotton, made in various sizes, and blouses and trou-sers for the boys, would be an incal-culable boon. The United States will cuiable boom. The United States will send food through the bounty of the government, but it rests with my countrywomen to cover some of this nakedness. In the last lot of supplies that arrived in Havana came a large lot of black buttons, sent by some generous-hearted merchant. "How use-revealther will" exclaimed Miss Barton as she ful!" exclaimed Miss Barton, as she gazed upon them, but it seemed to me that some garments upon which to place the buttons would be of more service just now.

place the buttons would be of more service just now.

Another case was that of a good-looking, refined woman, perhaps 35 years of age, dressed in neat but shabby black, with the saddest eyes I ever saw. She said that two years ago she and her husband were in good circumstances, cwning a small plantation upon which they employed six men and their wives. A few days after Maceo's raid the Spanish soldiers came in hot-pursuit. The latter inquired which way the rebels had taken. They did not know, being out of the line of Maceo's march, and therefore could give no information. Believing that they were lying to screen their friends, the Spaniards killed her husband before her eyes, and the six other men on the plantation, and burned all their buildings to the ground. Her only daughter, 15 years old, was shot while attempting to shield the father, and the baby in her arms received a bullet wound in the back which crippled it for life. She has her land—and nothing else. the back which crippled it for life. She has her land—and nothing else but her sorrow, and is now among the lungry reconcentrados.

I hope we did one little grain of good in the prison—but am not sure of it, as Spanish promises amount to little. as spanish promises amount to little. We found an old man named Matamorasin a dark and noisome cell, where he had lain for two years—apparently forgotten. He had been an insurgent at the beginning of the war, but gave himself up when the promise came to release all those who voluntarily came back from the field. He was promptly released, but arrested next day "on suspicion." And here he has been since, in almost total darkness and wretchedness havond description. wretchedness beyond description. Now he is merely a breathing skeleton, too weak to raise his head, with the most terrible eyes I ever saw in a human countenance. When the door was opened the horrible odor of the unventilated hole turned use faint. With a faint howl, like that of a dying beast, the old man called for water. A heavy a tank nowl. like that of a dying beast, the old man called for water. A heavy jug of unclean water stood near his bed, but a strong man could hardly have lifted it, and there was no cup. He said he had been fed a spoonful of rice that day, no more, and that he was perishing of thirst and hunger. We hastened to the house of the Spansh commandant and hexal lift. ish commandant and begged His Ex-cellency, as a special favor, to have the man, Matamoras, removed to a cleaner and lighter cell and that friends out side be allowed to bring him food. The commandante was politeness personified and promised all we asked. If we had requested that the doors be thrown had requested that the doors be thrown wide open and the man set free, he would no doubt has promised just as readily. A gentleman residing in Jarrico agreed to telegraph me that night if any change had been made for poor Matamoras—and up to date, two days later, no telegram has been received.

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FUN FOR THE FIESTA.

HARE AND HOUNDS RUN ON SATUR-DAY FOR THE FUND.

The Famous Patsy Murphy Must Start Again — Admission for Ladies Will Be Charged on This

The offer made by Manager Black of Agricultural Park to give the total gate receipts of Saturday's coursing the blow. matches at the fairgounds to the fiesta fund is a liberal one. On this occasion the ladies are charged the same admission fee as the gentlemen, but for this day only. It was held by hose who arranged the benefit that there were few, if any, ladies who would not be willing to contribute a two-bit piece to the flesta fund, especially as on every other day in the year they enter the gates and occupy the grand stand free of charge.

The dogs in the races on Saturday will comprise the fleetest and best ounds on the Southern California

For the benefit of the ladies, the famous rabbit, Patsy Murphy, is to be turned loose. It was intended to turn both Patsy and his wife, Betsey, loose on Saturday, but there was a row in the warren and Betsey got the worst of it. The cause of the trouble is unknown, but Patsy has lost the sympathy of all the ladies, and if he is picked up by a dog on Saturday next there will be no tears shed. Should he escape again, however, it will be taken as evidence that he had a right to a divorce.

Manager Black hopes to make Saturday the great day of the coursing meet. The band will have a special programme and outside features will be introduced to please the people. Without other attractions the coursing will be amusing enough to repay the For the benefit of the ladies, the fa-

Without other attractions the coursing will be amusing enough to repay the outlay of time and money.

At the drawing at No. 143 South Broadway last evening there was a much larger crowd in attendance than usual, the room being filled. Saturday and Sunday's coursing is a forty-eight-dog stake for a purse oBf \$125, and the best dogs,in the southern part of the State, as stated, are entered, as will be seen by the drawing, which was as follows:

will be seen by the drawing, which was as follows:

Oakland Bell vs. Poker Davis, Little Queen vs. Ormonde, Kitty Scott vs. Bonnie Belle, Innocent Daisy vs. White Chief, Tiger vs. Cyclone, Juliet vs. B. B. and B., Hetty Green vs. Little Pearl, Ramon vs. Rag Baby, Fleet vs. John F. Smith. Monday Morning vs. Ebony Queen. Flying Jib vs. D. V. H.. Shamrock vs. Orpheum Lass, Snooze vs. Rincon, Ouida (formerly Lady Lillian) vs. Fannie S., Oak Glenn Victress vs. Romeo, Homer vs. Winona, Sharkey vs. Here We Are, Blue Bird vs. Sky Ball, Trip vs. Oscar, Kentucky Girl vs. Corona, Palo Alto vs. Lucky Jack, Joe vs. Rlalto, Bugle B vs. Galtey Boy (formerly Downey.) A. B. C. vs. Sallor Girl.

But He Has Renounced the Silent

wheelman and unmindful of his great weight, essayed to ride down First-street hill at Boyle Heights, without a brake. That was before the stree was graded and the hill was much

bring the runaway "blke" to a stand-still.

Fortunately the obese officer managed to keep in the middle of the road, although he narrowly escaped collision with a cable car and several teams. People whom he passed could not make out what it was that shot by. All they could see was a blur in the atmosphere, and a cloud of dust, accompanied by a roaring sound. Several tenderfeet, lately arrived from Kansas, thought it was a cyclone that was tearing along the street, and they instinctively fled toward the nearest cellars for shelter.

Not before he was half way up the east slope of the First-street viaduct did Fifield regain control of his silent steed. The perspiration stood in great beads on his forehead and he had to cinch his belt up two holes, so much flesh had he lost during his wild ride. Since then he has carefully avoided down grades when ridding a blcycle and has kept strictly within the eight-mile limit, as becomes a law-abiding citizen and officer.

The sight of a scorcher excites Officer [Fifteld ever since he coasted down the

limit, as becomes a law-abiding citizen and officer.
The sight of a scorcher excites Officer Fifield ever since he coasted down the Boyle Heights hill. It is not to be wondered at, therefore, that he occasionally arrests one. Two of his victims, George Rice and W. Webster, appeared before Justice Morrison yesterday, pleaded guilty to the charge of riding faster than eight miles an hour, and raid a fine of \$1.

F. J. Reardon, arrested by Officer Redfern, and C. A. Webster, arrested by Officer S. N. Baker, also pleaded guilty and were fined \$1 each for violating the bicycle ordinance.
Two of Officer Baker's victims E. T. Thompson and J. Brown, managed to establish their unnocence. The officer testified that he arrested them for riding across the intersection of Main and Sixteenth streets at a speed of more than four miles an hour. The defendants and several eye-witnesses testified that the were riding at a slow gait and were arrested just 4s they reached the intersection and ocfore they had an opportunity to cross it. Preponderance of testimory favored the defendants and they were discharged.

D. Bates, for whom a bench warrant

SOLAR PLEXUS BLOW. Effects of Assault Mistaken for In

As the result of the acquittal of A.
H. Munn of the charge of being drunk
last Friday night, a warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of J.
Hyland, keeper of the Louvre cigar
stand on South Spring street.
Munn, on the witness stand, admitted
the head hear dripking, but denied

that he had been drinking, but denied that he was intoxicated. He was on his way home, he said, when a man stepped out of the entrance of the Louvre saloon and struck him a vio-lent blow on the chest. He fell to the sidewalk, and was picked up uncon-scious by the police, who locked him up as a common drunk. He said he was still suffering from the effects of the blow.

Officer McClure, who made the arrest, testified that he was on the opposite side of the street when Munn fell site side of the street when again. He dropped with such a thud that it attracted his attention, and he crossed the street to investigate. The cigar attracted his attention, and he crossed the street to investigate. The cigar man was there, and had partially picked the prostrate man up and propped him against the building. Mc-Clure asked Hyland what alled the fellow, and he said he was drunk. The officer thought it was simply a case of too much liquor and sent for the patrol wagon. He did not know hat happened before Munn fell, but it never occurred to him that the fellow was a victim of violence.

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ictim of violence.
Hyland testified that Munn came out

victim of violence.

Hyland testified that Munn came out of the saloon drunk and fell in front of the cigar stand. The fall stunned him, and witness tried to help him to his feet. That was all he had to do with the case.

Sergt. Smith and Patrol-driver Mc-Kenzie testified that Munn appeared to them to be drunk. They did not notice that he was hurt. Furthermore, the prisoner acknowledged being drunk after he regained consciousness. He conversed in a silly, maudlin way, and had all the indications of a man under the influence of liquor. A. D. Brosnell and a man named Walters, both unknown to each other and not acquainted with either Munn or Hyland, testified, however, that they saw Hyland step in front of Munn and strike him a solar-plexus blow that brought him to the sidewalk and rendered him unconscious. Brosnell's testimony, especially, was so circumstantial that the court was convinced he was telling the truth. At any rate, Justice Morrison acquitted the defendant without waiting to hear the argument of Munn's counsel.

On the strength of the testimony of the two witnesses who swore positively that they saw Hyland strike Munn, a

the two witnesses who swore positively that they saw Hyland strike Munn, a warrant for the arrest of Hyland on the charge of battery was issued, but he has not yet been arrested.

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OFFICER FIFIELD'S BICYCLE REC-

Steed and Now Arrests Others Who Ride Too Fast-Several Scorchers in Court.

role of a complaining witness against speedy bicyclists caused some merriment, yesterday, at the expense of that officer, as it is not so many years since he himself established a bicycle once he minest established a bryche road record that has never been beaten in this city. Fifield weighs something opened to be been beaten by the beaten to ride the beaten to ride the beaten in Los Angeles to learn to ride wheel. He was cured of the "scorch as a cycler. Fifield, confident of his skill as

was graded and the hill was much steeper than it is now. Once started on the descent, be found that backpedaling was out of the question. His 300 odd pounds gave great momentum to the wheel, which increased by geometrical progression as it shot down the grade. The pedals revolved so rapidly that he was soon unable to keep his feet upon them. To throw himself off the wheel or collide with anything at the speed it was going meant instant death. All he could do was to steer clear of obstructions and coast till the law of gravity should bring the runaway "bike" to a standstill.

charged.

D. Bates, for whom a bench warrant was Issued Monday afternoon for riding on the sidewalk, appeared before Justice Morrison Tuesday morning and had the matter satisfactorily adjusted.

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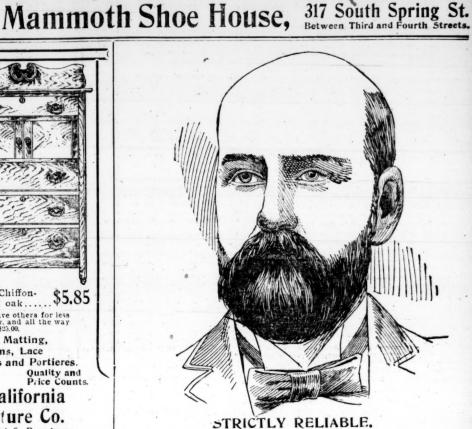
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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

TRE BOARD ABANDONS AN IM-PORTANT RESTRICTION.

n Debate Over an Applicatio or an Oil-boring Permit-City Treasurer's Monthly Report.

WARE RECEIVES HIS REWARD

VERTISE FOR A FRANCHISE.

ak Darling's Troubles are Nea an End-Mrs. Burns Sning a Street-ear Company for \$26,000 Damages.

ed the rule prohibiting oil well 350 feet of the Sisters' Hospi hich the rule was based. rt of City Treasurer Hart

defense yesterday, in the city's nts-will be pitted against anset, and the very foundations set, and the very foundations which experts and engineers will betwiate this difficulty, and that at t a foundation basis of agreement ht be reached, Mr. Dunn, for the was willing that either side ald appoint an engineer, and that measurements taken by these two entatives should be accepted by sides as conclusive. To this, how the defense would not agree.

rely of a statistical character—a parison of measurements taken maps.

William Ware, who was implicated in The conspiracy to defraud the Columbia Savings Bank by the forgery of a ced, and after his arrest turned state's evidence against his two pals.

Compton and Davis, was discharged yesterday, on motion of the District Attorney, after spending six months in the County Jail. Frank Darling will get out of his present difficulties by marrying the girl whom he is charged with assaulting

The Board of Supervisors yesterday decided to advertise for bids for the franchise to build a new electric road to Pasadena, over the route proposed by the Interurban Company.

(AT THE CITY HALL.)

AN OIL-WELL PROBLEM.

WAIVE A RESTRICTION.

ey Finally Rescind the Reso-lution Prohibiting Oil Wells Within Three Hundred and Fifty Feet of the Sisters' Hospital.

The application of the Combination OH Company for a permit to bore for oil occasioned a warm discussion at the meeting of the Fire Commissioners yesterday morning.

Yesterday morning.

The application was debied last week for the reason that a portion of the block in which it is desired to bore lies within 350 feet of the Sisters' Hospital. and under the regulations of the Fire Commissioners, no oil boring can be permitted in the block.

ermitted in the block.

Councilman Baker, who was present before the board yesterday, asked that the permit be granted, despite this ton, the restriction was an unwarranted one and contrary to the real wishes of the Council. He asked that the permit be granted at once permit be granted at once. Commissioners Kuhrts and Sinsa-

serierence with the fire board, and Mr. Sinsabaugh declared that, as the restriction had been adopted upon the recommendation of the Boarl of Health for the protection of the hospital patients, he was in favor of retaining it. After some discussion a resolution was dopted rescinding the 350-foot restriction, Mr. Sirsabaugh alone voting in the negative. The matter of imposing such a limit was then referred to the City Council.

uncilman Baker still insisted that a permit be granted at once to the Combination Oil Company, but this the commissioners refused. The matter was

deferred one week.

On recommendation of the Fire Chief, permission was granted to F. W. Covey to erect and operate a steam hodger and engine on lot 2, block 9, Fleming tract, East Los Angeles.

The application of James L. Todd for appointment as callman was received and filed. The application was indorsed by Councilmen Grider, Hutchison and Ashman.

Ask for a Cable Permit.

The Big Five Oil Company has filed an application for a permit to maintain its cable across Rockwood street from

City Treasurer's Monthly Report. A summary of the City Treasurer's monthly report, filed yesterday, is as

Permit for a New Building. offhe Building Superintendent has building which is to be erected by the Stimson estate on the northwest corner of Third and Spring streets. The esti-mated cost is given as \$100,000.

Transportation Notes.

Citrus fruits continue to go out of

of Southern California at the rate of about a hundred carloads a day. Other freight business is a little light for this season of the year.

Passenger traffic is very heavy, going both east and west. Travel northward is unusually good.

Both the Santa Fé and the Southern Pacific roads say there will probably being out of rates on their lines, that the recent cut made by the Canadan Pacific to points in the Northwest, while deflecting some travel in that direction, is of not enough censequence a cause them any uneasiness here.

A TRIVIAL ARREST.

Humberto Dardone Charged With Petty Larceny.

The trivial grounds on which criminal complaints are sometimes issued by the District Attorney's billice are

by the District Attorneys called are well illustrated in a case which came before Justice Morrison yesterday. In a civil suit brought by Paghotti & Co., against V. Grosse, recently, a wine press and wagon belonging to the defendant were attached by the Constable and sold under execution. The property was bought by Hura-Constable and sold under execution. The property was bought by Hursberto, Bardone, who received a bill of sale from the Constable for the wine press, wagon and appurtenances. Now comes Grosse and alleges that a pair of sideboards which were on the wagon at the time of the sale were not included in the bill of sale. Bardone is accused of the barceny of these boards which are worth about 10 cents. A complaint to this effect was these boards which are worth about 10 cents. A complaint to this effect was granted by the District-Attorney and a warrant issued for Bardone's arrest on the charge of petty larceny.

Bardone pleaded not guilty before Justice Morrison yesterday afternoon. The case was continued till today for hearing.

[AT THE COURT HOUSE.]

WARE IS REWARDED.

TURNED STATE'S EVIDENCE AND GETS HIS FREEDOM.

It Was Principally Through His Testimony That Charley Compton and A. E. Davis Were Convicted of Forgery.

yesterday for turning State's evidence against A. E. Davis and Charles Cempton, and walked down the steps from the County Jail a free man.

Ware was arrested over six months ago, and has been in confinement ever since. Immediately after the facts of the scheme by which the Columnia Savings Bank was defrauded out of \$1000 were made public, he fled the city. He sought to throw officers off his track by perpetrating Beach he left his clothes and a note to his wife on the pier and shoved a big rock overboard. Then he went t umed name and spent the night

there.

A negro out in a skiff heard the rock that Ware had shoved overboard splash, in the water. He came to shore and went out on the wharf, where he found Ware's clothes and the note. He raised an alarm, and searching parties formed and dragged the water all night for Ware's body. Officers from this cty suspected that the sucide was a fake and continued their search for Ware, arresting him the following day, before he had left the lodging-house where he spent the night.

After a brief confinement in the After a brief confinement in the County Jail, Ware decided to try to save himself by turning State's evidence. He then made his confession implicating Charles Compton, a "curbstone real estate agent," and all-around crook as the one who had actually forged the instrument upon which the money was obtained from the Columbia Savings Bank.

Ware was the principal witness at the trials of Davis and Compton. Without his testimony it would have been almost impossible to secure a confriction in either case. In consideration of his valuable service, Asst. Dist-Atty. Willis yesterday moved for the dismissal of the complaint in Department

while yesterday moved for the di-missal of the complaint in Departmer One. Judge Smith readily agreed t-the motion, and signed an order re-leasing Ware from custody.

DARLING'S DARLING.

He is Ready to Marry Her and End

His Trouble.

It is altogether probable that the complaint against Frank Darling, who has been confined in the County Jac. awaiting trial on a charge of crimina assault, will shortly be dismissed, and that the young man's present troubles will end with his marriage to the girl. whom he is charged with having out reged. Yesterday morning, at the request of his attorney, and sanctioned by the District Attorney's office, Judge Smith allowed his bail bond to be reange county and it is thought tha Darling will be able to find bondsmen

parling win action to the County Jai Darling has been in the County Jai ince the 1st of last Nevember awaiting his trial. He was arrested at the way has charge. ance of Mrs. Trenineck who cha with criminally assaulting cen-year-old daughter Eva. uple eloped from their home at Connect Thanksgiving day, and weiging together in this city in a rooman and wife several days before police discovered their outs.

the rolice discovered their whereabouts.

Pravious to the elegenent Darling
was employed as a telegraph operaco;
at Celton. He came there a stranger,
but his good locks and pleasant manmers seen won for him many friends.
He became espacially attentive to EveFredinck, the fifte n-year-old daughter
of, a well-to-do willow, who owns ar
orange grove at Celton. His attentions were encouraged by the child's
mether, and on Thanksgiving day the
couple were permitted to go out driving
testeher. They did not return. Then
it was discovered that they had carried out; a blan which had been previously la'd to clope. It was only after
a diligent search that they were located at the Arlington-House in this
city.
Darling had a wife in Pompstleveri.

by.

Darling had a wife in Pennsylvania, then he ran away with Miss Tredicted. Last Monday he obtained a decree of divorce in Judge Van Dyke's

cident which she sustained while riding on one of the defendant's cars on the 20th of last April. Mrs. Burns at-tempted to get off an electric car at the orner of Main and Seventeenth streets and fell, breaking her left leg below the hip, as a result of which she will be a mp, as a result of which she will be a cripple for life. In her complaint she alleges that the car had stopped, and that she had put one foot on the ground in her movement to get off, when it started up with a jerk, throwing her

In their answer, the defendants deny hat the car stopped and started, but state that Mrs. Burns attempted to get off before the car had come to a full the come to a

The case is being heard before Judge Clark and a jury in Department Two. The prosecution put in their case yes-terday, and the defense will offer its evidence today.

SATISFIED WITH FIGURES.

Further Evidence Tending to Show That Pipes Drain from the River. To the persistent layman, who de-erminedly sits out the hearing in the uit by the city against the Crystal

Springs Company, et al., there is bound to come some little mathematical knowledge—or he will go crazy. Such a one being surrounded on three sides by maps and plans, many of strange, intricate designs, and confronted by learned counsel on both sides as well as the court, knowledge is imbibed from the wells of wisdom that are con-

as the court, knowledge is imbibed from the wells of wisdom that are constantly bubbling up by absorption.

On Wednesday Engineer T. B. Lippincott testified to a maze of figures regarding the flow of the river and the infiltration pipes, and yesterday morning was taken in hand by Mr. Chapman, for cross-examination. He was made to traverse much of the same ground over again, and the noon hour had-very nearly arrived before he was released by the defense.

Mr. Dunn then made an offer to defending counsel that if they desired to select an engineer, the plaintiff would also appoint an engineer, and these two could go into the field and take a new series of measurements along, the river and on the disputed ground, the expense to be taxed on as costs. This offer was made, so counsel stated, inasmuch as he inferred from the insinuation of Mr. Chapman that the measurements put in by the plaintiff were the interest of the interest of the interest of the interest of the travelled that it would be interested as the plaintiff were to be impurpted and the it would. measurements put in by the plaintiff were to be impugned, and that it would probably be contended that special points had been selected for measurenents by the plaintiff in order to prove

one way or the other, and so it is not surprising that the denfense refused the proposition.

Upon redirect, examination, Mr. Lippincott stated that at bridge No. II, the water had been durned from the river over the east filtration bed, and had overflowed a tract about 75x300 feet.

A portion of this water returned to the river at bridge No. I2, about five hundred feet down below bridge No. II.

The cross section map of the river hetween these two points, showed the depressed surface into which the overflowed water ran, and apart from the small amount of water that found escape at bridge No. I2, it was all drawn to the filtration pipes and carried off in that way. Along the surface, too witness stated that little dykes, standing from six to eighteen inches in height, had been put up, and these had the effect of retarding the velocity of the water and holding it over the pipes.

W. Mulholland, the City Water Company's superintendent, was recalled just to testify to one fact, but while he was upon the stand he had semething to say regarding the state of affairs between bridges No. II and I2, the facts of which, as stated by Mr. Lippincett, indicated, with a fair amount of conclusiveness, that the river at that point had been diverted to feed the filtration

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had been diverted to feed the filtration pipes.

W. Mutholland stated that the water company had made a cut at bridge No. 11, for the purpose of endeavoring to increase the flow in the pipes by flooding the ground. This concession of witness was right into the hands of the plaintiff, but when Mr. Chapman asked Mr. Mutholland if he succeeded, Mr. Dann objected to the question being put. He argued that Mr. Mutholland was not his witness and yet he was compelled to call him, for by him only could he prove the cut in the bank baving been made, and for what reason. Its answer having been made to these two questions, counsel contended, ought to end the matter, and not by cross-examination broaden the scope of inquiry with a witness, who was put on only from necessity.

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on only from necessity.

The court didn't see things just that way, and the witness was ermitted to answer. He said that about two years ago the cut had been made, but, after a three or four week's trial the plan had been abandoned for no perceptible increase was noted in the pipes. He said the cut was closed, and if it was flowing in October, November and December of last year, it was without his knowledge. He knew that after the experiment two years ago, the cut had actually been closed, and if opened since it was without his authority.

B. Wheeler, recalled, was examined at great length regarding the measurements taken by him of the wells both bored and dug. He explained that a line was run from the gate house, and with this line as a base, others were drawn at right angles, cutting the ground over the pipes and to the river into squares: at each intersection a well was either dug or bored, the earth strata exposed and the various measurements of the water taken. Witness pointed out these borings on the saturation map, but as the figures on the map itself were taken from Mr. Wheeler's field notes, they were stipulated in as if he gave them himself.

As Mr. Wheeler goes into the field again today to take further data, the denfense refused to cross-examine until all of that data is put in.

J. B. Schuyler, the civil engineer who superintended the making of the contour relief map, and who has been retained by the city for several months in connection with this case, was recalled. He stated that be first became acquinted with the Los Angeles River in 1879, and had been engaged in the

next ten days, and will be opened in thirty days.

According to the proposition offered by the Interurban Company, the work of construction upon the new road is to actually begin within six months, and the road is to be in operation within eighteen months.

Walter Maxwell was jubilant over the action of the beard, and remarked in the hearing of the members that he soon expected to be before them again to ask for an extension of the franchise into the San Gabriel Valley. He did not state what was the objective point expected to be reached by this extension.

WANTS HEAVY DAMAGES.

Mrs. Burns Sues the Main-street Railway Company for \$26,000.

Mrs. Josephine Burns is sueing the Main-street and Agricultural Park Railway Company for \$26,000 for an accident which she sustained while riging on one of the defendant's cars on the

FLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Miscellaneous Driftwood Thrown

into the Courts. AMOUNT OF EVERETT'S DEFAL-CATION. Court Commissioner H. Rollins, to whom the question as the amount of Police Clerk M. W. Everett's defalcation was submitted made his report yesterday fixing the shortage for which the bondsmen will be held responsible at \$2575. Judge Al-len decreed judgment against the bendsmen in this amount, granting a twenty days' stay of execution. The same length of time is granted to the defendants to prepare a bill of excep-tions.

TWO INFORMATIONS FILED. The TWO INFORMATIONS FILED. The District Attorney's office yesterday filed an information in Department One against A. L. Albred, charging him with assaulting Ray Loomis with intent to commit murder, and against Manuel Dominguez, on a charge of committing a similar assault upon Juan Yturalde.

BARNETT DISCHARGED. The The complaint against George Barnett, who has been held in the County Jail awaiting trial on a charge of assaulting Thomas Clifford with a deadly weapon, was dismissed yesterday by Judge Smith on motion of the District Atterney's office. Barnett and Clifford lived out on Western avenue, and one day during a quarrel Barnett drew his gun. Clifford died about a week ago from natural causes, and as he was the principal witness, it was deemed useless to go to trial without his evidence. BARNETT DISCHARGED.

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galia, 88; Samuel E. Chapman, Napa, 86; Lyman Allen, Pasadena, 88; George A. Blanchard, Dillon, \$12; John W. Harris, Winters, \$6; James Fisher, Soldiers' Home, Les Angeles, \$6 to \$10; Urania Sephronia Ramsden, Mariposa, 88; Francis M. Benjamin, San Francisco, \$8; Charles C. Cragin, Campbell, \$6; Freeman W. Bunnell, Berkeley, \$6; Edward A. Falvey, San Francisco, \$8; Thomas Malgon, Cherokee, \$6 to \$8; William H. Sayers, San Jacinto, \$8; Leland H. Shaw, Scidlers' Home, Los Angeles, \$8; Robert J. Smith, San Francisco, \$6; Charles-McCann, San Diego, \$8; Christian Peterson, San Francisco, \$20,50; Albert Garren, United States Naval Hospital, Mare Island, \$8; William Colby, San Francisco, \$6; James A. Roark, San Diego, \$6; Adam C. Hogaboom, Los Angeles, \$15 to \$17; Patrick Kennedy, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles, \$6 to \$10.

Postal commissions were issued today to Charles D. Bonestel at Ventura, Cal., and Benjamin A. Osborn at Watsonville, Cal.

A SWITCH-OFF.

BANKERS' ALLIANCE POLICY-HOLD: ERS GET A NEW DEAL.

tee Company Repudlated by the Receiver-Policy-holders to Be Side-tracked into the Mutual

Within a very short time from the date of W. J. Washburn's appointment as receiver of the moribund Bankers' Alliance he left for the East. He witnessed the dying threes of the organization and then went east to attend the funeral of a relative—as it was reported—but his objective point was Chicago.

A day or two later the Mutual Re serve Fund Life Association of New York had taken certain of the rooms previously occupied as offices by the Bankers' Alliance, and people inter-ested in insurance matters began to talk. The true inwardness of the connection between the departure of Re ceiver Washburn and the Mutual Re-serve installing itself in the old offices of the Bankers' Alliance will be made manifest to the whilom policy holders in the latter company today.

Receiver Washburn has not returned

to the city, but it is known now that he went east to Chicago to try to call off the deal made by President Curry of the Bankers' Alliance with the Chicago Guarantee Fund Life So-ciety, by which all of the policies of the late Alliance were turned over to the Chicago company. His reasons for so doing are set forth in the following circular which each old policy-holder in the Bankers' Alliance will receive, accompanied by some of the literature of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life As-

LOS ANGELES, Cal. March 9, 1898.

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Which Half is the Better Half

The housewife's duties are harder than men realize. Cleaning alone is a constant tax on her realize. Cleaning aione is a constant than half the strength, a never-ended task. More than half the work of cleaning she can have done for her, if she will, and the expense will be next to nothing.

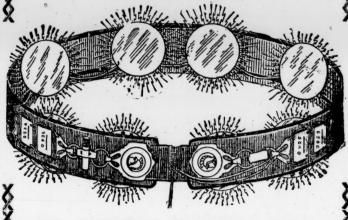






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It is furthermore alleged that the directors of the Banker's Alliance, who voted for the deal with the Chicago company, did so on the supposition that all the benefits to be derived from the trade would be shared by those having claims against the company. In so acting they acted in consonance with the traditions of the Alliance in ignoring personal responsibility and taking the word of somebody else in a matter along the line of their own individual duty.

Early next week Mr. Washburn is expected to return to Los Angeles, and both his arrival and the arrival of that \$10.000 will be anxiously awaited by those having claims against the Banker's Alliance, and the policy-holders who, D.V., may then learn exactly just where "they are at."

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gineered by the receiver goes through | FIESTA AND COUNTRY PRESS. A Proper Demand for an Exchange of Civilities.

[San Jacinto Register:] Country editors, it seems, can be useful in promoting the success of the fiesta, and the former committee complained that the former committee complained that country papers were not willing to boom the celebration as they should. The fact of this matter is, the country editors like an exchange of civilities. For the first three fiestas the country press advertised the spring carnival with an earnestness that sent hundreds of people to Los Angeles. For three years they go: "soup," after devoting columns to descriptions of the parades, etc. All they did receive was a ticket to the cheapest theater in town, and a free pass to the tribunes. Even these were quarreled over on different occasions. A proper return for the good will of the country papers and a free use of their columns should receive the attention of a special committee. Find us a hotel where the rates will not gobble up half a year's subscription list; give us passes over the screet-car lines. "comps" to the Orpheum or Los Angeles Theater for one night, at least; make it possible for us to see the town and the big show as guests of the Fiesta Committee, after putting in our "best licks" to boom the fiesta. We may look green, and maybe we are green, but we want what belongs to us as long as it is no money out of anybody's pocket. Other years we have advertised La Fiesta, and gone to Los Angeles country papers were not willing to as it is no money out of anybody's pocket. Other years we have advertised La Flesta, and gone to Los Angeles to spend out last "bean" the same as any tenderfoot from Messachusetts, afterdoing our mite toward making the celebration a success.

[Church Review:] Priest (catechising.) Now, children, what is the meaning of those letters you see on the altar-I.H.S.? Girl. Please, sir, I know-"I

QUEER MESSAGES BY TELEPHONE.

SOME PECULIAR THINGS DONE BY THE LONG-DISTANCE WIRE.

By a Special Contributor.

ONSIDERING the fact that millions of miles of wire and half the States of the country are included in our telephone system, and that we have something like 250,000 subscribers, it isn't strange that some peculiar things happen over the long-distance lines," said the telephone man, as he leaned back in his chair after connecting Omaha and New York, just to show how easy it is to talk across 1600 miles.

"The other day the papers printed a story of how a bank president in Minneapolis presided over a meeting minneapolis presided ov

a story of how a bank president in Minneapolis presided over a meeting of directors in Lowell, Mass.," he went on. "That was correct enough but it wasn't such an unusual thing as one might infer from reading the accounts of it. It has become quite the accounts of it. It has become quite the regular thing for railroad and bank directors who can't get to the regular place of meeting to be connected with the meeting place by wire; by the use of a large transmitter he is able to hear everything that goes on, and to take part in the proceedings almost as well as though he were on the spot. I know, too, that the distance 'phone has been used to close some of the largest commercial trans-

some of the largest commercial trans-actions that have taken place in this country during the past five years. "The use of the long-range tele-phone for great business affairs seems natural enough, for the high charges are trivial compared with the interare trivial compared with the interests involved. But anybody who hasn't had a chance to learn from being in the business, would be astonished at some of the messages that go over the wires and for which the senders pay good round sums in the way of tolls. I suppose the reason for this is that the telephone is still comparatively new to most people; they look upon it with something of wonder and they like to experiment with it to see if it will do all that is claimed for it. "Here, for instance, is a case that

Here, for instance, is a case that had last night and which is one of we had last night and which is one of a kind that we get six days in every week. A Cincinnati man had come on to New York on business. He had evidently just left his train when he came to the 'phone and called up his Ohio house. There evidently wasn't any particular reason for it, except his desire to talk with his family. One after another, the mother, and five after another, the mother and five children came to the phone and ex-changed a few sentences with the head of the house. In such long-distance of the house. In such long-distance work, where the charges are high, it is customary for the operator to notify the user of the wire at the end of each five minutes of the time so that there won't be any confusion about the cost at the end. In this case the conversation kept dragging out the conversation kept dragging out the conversation kept dragging out and the night manager, who had the wire, notified the man every five minutes, each time being met with the reply, 'I'll take five minutes more.' The Cincinnati man was determined that every one of his family should hear his voice and he didn't care how much it cost. Last of all the baby was heaven to the transmitter, a voyage. brought to the transmitter, a young-ster who could just lisp 'hello, papa, and then the man settled his bill for \$108 without a murmur, doubtless

feeling well repaid in having listened to his baby's coo across that dis-'Of course that's an extreme case in the size of the charge, but in other respects it isn't an unusual thing, es-pecially with westerners. It seems to me that about one in every ten men whether they come from Chicago or some little cross-roads town, rush off to the telephone the first thing when they strike New York, and call up the wife or sweetheart whom they have left behind at home. To the outsider their little home gossip or sweet nothings don't seem to amount to much, but I dare say it makes life pleasanter for those who are inter-ested, so nobody else can object to it.

Chicago exchange. A man in the city had a fox terrier of which he was very proud, while the dog was as com-

ade in Chicago last year and as F say, such orders are becoming more numerous.

"One class of men with whom the long-distance telephone is in high favor are the politicians. Perhaps it is because they prefer to trust to spoken words rather than written ones, even where time is not a consideration; perhaps it is because of the facilities which the telephone gives for keeping in constant touch with events that are occurring at distant places; but certain it is that the politicians are among our most liberal patrons. During the last Presidential campaign Maj. McKinley kept constantly in touch with the Republican headquarters both in New York and Chicago, by means of the telephone, and he received the first official notice of his election in that way. When important bills are under consideration in Albany, the telephone wires connecting that city with certain offices in New York, are kept hot most of the time. The big exchanges keep close watch of the tariff legislation and financial discussions in Congress in the same way. President McKinley, by the way, is the first Chief Magistrate to make regular use of the telephone in the White House for communicating with his Cabinet officers and Congressional advisers. When he wants to speak to them, instead of sending for them, as his predecessors did, he steps to the 'phone with a 'Hello, Gary!' or 'Is that you, Gage?' and thereby saves a lot of time.

A TELEPHONIC SYMPOSIUM.
"Some little time ago some citizens

A TELEPHONIC SYMPOSIUM. "Some little time ago some citizens of Montelair, N. J., anxious for some new form of entertainment, hit upon what they called a 'telephone symposium.' They arranged for special quick connections and then listened to short speeches, songs and jokes from a dezen different parts of the country. There was a regular time schedule, and the range of the entertainment extended all the way from Cuyahoga Falls, O., to Boston. It was voted a great success, and shows the possibilities in one of the, as yet, undeveloped fields of telephone use." new form of entertainment, hit upon

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CONGRESS WANTS INFORMATION A TO DISTRIBUTION.

Projected Dams Opposed by Mexico. International Dam Near El Paso Recommended by Engineers as a Solution of the Problem.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES. WASHINGTON, March 5.-The House Committee on Foreign Affairs has fav-orably reported a resolution asking the President to transmit to the House a copy of the proceedings of the Internacopy of the proceedings of the interna-tional Commission on the subject of the equitable distribution of the waters of the Rio Grande; also the protest of Mr. Horcasitas, representing citizens of Mexico, against the construction of dams by the Rio Grande Dam and Irri-gation Company, and the action thereon.

This commission was appointed under a treaty concluded on May 6, 1896, be-tween Mexico and the United States, providing for the investigation of the ested, so nobody else can object to it.

TELEPHONED TO HIS DOG.

"I remember a case more peculiar than that of the Cincinnati man that happened while I was manager in the Chicago exchange. A man in the city of the city of

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THE CHINESE BABY SHOW AT THE MINING FAIR.

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SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.] SAN FRANCISCO, March 5 .- Two hundred square and not a whimper. There was no limit as to age, for the San Fran-cisco Mining Fair wanted as many of cisco Mining Fair wanted as many of the juvenile beauties of Chinatown as possible. But the smallest baby was Oo, with invisible ears like a chicken, and tiny feet that would go in an after-dinner coffee cup. Oo has known just two months, but is already in trousers, and his beady, black eyes are bright as a sparrow's. He never wept a tear, and when he was lifted up to receive his special prize, was not at all afraid and winked like a Confucian a tear, and when he was lifted up to receive his special prize, was not at all afraid and winked like a Confucian sage. Many people pronounced it the most interesting day of the Mining Fair. These particular children were bright and clean and smilling and neat as new pine. No detail of the toilet had been forgotten. From embroidered slipper to shaven poll, they were arrayed in their best. There were satin blouses that shone in the sun with a silvery shimmer. There were embroiderles of wonderful birds and bees and flowers, never seen on land or sea. The little boys were shaven and the little girls had their hair stiffened and polished and dressed as though for the grandest function, with little bird cages and fringes of beads and paper flowers atop. There was a great twinkling of metal and much shining of green jade. A new fashion in infant headgear showed a halo of stiff pompons that rise above the infant's somber eyes. Others wore huge rosettes of silk on each temple, like a joss, and one little girl had a mane of black silk cuestrings-hanging down from the back of her head. Even the baby complexions had been looked after. On the smooth, yellow cheeks appeared the most lovely patch of pink rouge, put on quite frankly in the Chinese fashion. The rosebud mouths were touched up and the narrow brows beautifully penciled. No wonder the children looked pretty, like a rosebud garden or a flock or gayest butterflies.

Proud fathers and fond mothers accompanied the children. Not a teardrop fell from the almend eyes, but the parents were there to bask in the admiration expressed by the Caucasians. Each child had a bag of candy furnished by the management, and the fathers and mothers popped the sweets in whenever a mouth opened. There were two pairs of twins, one in a bewildering array of levender, pink, yellow and green in the beautiful oriental combination. These twins were 33 months old, the daughters of Leong Ton, who fondly said that he was gled they were girls—preferred girls to boys, anyway. The other twins were a

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Assignees Sale=-Shoes

The assignee representing the creditors of the Famous Shoe Store will reopen this store at

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The Spanish Song of Joy.

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[Madrid Imparcial:] He can laugh as he may, this sarcastic, "John Who Laughs," but the news of today is that every Spanish patriot is rejoicing and going about saluting his fellow-countryman with these words:
"Let us rejoice!"
Such ought to be the good-morning that every Spanish subject should bid to his fellow-countrymen.

We have won one great battle.
What is most important and worthy of praise is that this victory has been obtained only with the small amount of powder contained in a torepdo.

The truth is that instead of spending two or three handfuls of pesetas in firing salutes we have made better use of this money by putting it in the stomach of the hungry Yankees, and to accomplish this result we have only spent a few dollars.

But we do not mind the vile metal expended when we take into consideration the fact that the Spanish Lion has attained such great results without even having had the trouble of growling or wagging his tail.

The American Eagle is angry. She has had her claws clipped and her beak filed, and is now on a level with a tame pigeon.

The dirty and bad-smelling pig, insenarable fellow of Uncle Sam. In longer roots in our country, and he also has been reduced from a wild bear to a sweet and docile lamb.

The Spanish Lion will answer the same caresses, in a like manner in any port of the United States.

In the meantime, ours is a triumph, since the provoking and audaclous Yankee is the first to lay down his fury of provocation.

Misfortunes of Ignorance.

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[Baltimore American:] It is very evident that most of the rumors of war hetween this country and Spain are due to passion-and ignorance. The sort of jowrnalism that keeps the public on tenter-hooks all through the week panders to those who want the strongest kinds of excitement. It is not normal, and it is distinctly untrue, but it satisfies a longing that nothing else can supply.

From all this proceeds the desire for war. Now, let us say very plainly and very patiently that this country does not want war. We do not know yet what caused the destruction of the Maine, and until we do know it is positive folly to go on declaring hostilities.

Now, think of the fact that the values of this country reach about one hundred billions of dollars. Think of the connecting fact that any kind of war would reduce a very material percentage of this marvelous total. And then contemplate the horror of a useless contention which would embroil this nation in a general self-sacrifice. There is a cry that the commercial view of the case must not prevail. Very good. No American wants to keep out of a just fight because he idesires to whip somebody. Until it is proven beyond doubt or peradventure that nostillities were begun and planned by Spain it is our duty to go slowly. If we fight we will fight to the finish, but let up hope that fighting will not be necessary.

Files in Blazers.

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[Unidentified:] Nellie, aged 5, was visiting in the country, and, seeing a potato bug for the first time, she asked: "Mamma, does flies play lawn tennis?" "No, dear," replied mamma; "why do you ask?" "Because," lanswered the little lady, "I just saw one with a blazer on." with a blazer on.



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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, March 9, 1898. BIG ORDER FOR DRIED FRUITS. Heinrich Hass, who represents one of the largest mercantile houses in Ham-burg, Germany, has closed a bargain with the Johnson-Locke Mercantile Company of Sacramento, by which it agrees to furnish for his Hamburg house, during the year 1898, dried fruits. including prunes, peaches, apricots, pears and raisins, in excess of \$400,000

in value.

TEXAS "OLIVE" OIL. Texas is not only proud of the progress that her petroleum oil trade is making, but boasts of her "salad" oil product as well. A Corsicana paper notes a shipment of a straight car of home-made salad oil by the Corsicana Cotton Oil Company, and says: "This oil is sold here in barriels, but it comes back to Corsicana and other cities in bottles bearing a Bordeaux' or some other foreign brand, looking and tasteing so good that a first-class epicure cannot tell that a cotton seed was ever crushed into it. This is a fact, and this oil is just as good and much healthier than the real French article."

ticle."
Commenting upon this, the Oil City
Derrick of Oil City, Pa., suggests that
perhaps the quality and healthfulness
of this oil might be still further improved by a judicious mixture of pe-

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

FOREST TREES. The University of California is gathering data regarding the growth and value of all important forest trees on the Pacific Coast. The forestry experiment stations have sup-plied young trees, which the Southern plied young trees, which the Southern Pacific Company has caused to be set at all stations reached by its lines. The trees will be in charge of the section bosses, who will care for them and make due report as to their growth. This in a few years will give a mass of valuable data which the university will publish. Special attention is, of course, paid to the search for timber, trees adapted to this climate, and those which will thrive on alkali soils. Not only are the oaks and other timber trees of this country being planted, but importations from Australia—and Asia, especially the Zelkova keaki, the great timber tree of Japan.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

EGGS, BUTTER AND CHEESE.

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The weakness of eggs is augmented by the cut rates made by some retailers, who are selling at 10 cents a dozen.

Butter is still very weak, but is stiffening up a little since stocks of eastern and process butter are setting out of the way. There is till enough poor butter on the market, however, to keep price for the better grades down to bedrock. Some local fancy creamery continues to bring 50 cents, but 47½ is more nearly the market price. Twenty-five cases of northern creamery are due today.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 10@11.

BUTTER—Fancy local creamery, per 32-02. Square, 45@50; northern creamery, 40@45; fancy dairy, per 32-02. roll, 37½@10; lightweights, 32½@35; fancy tub. 21@22 per 1b. CHEESE—Per lb., eastern half-cream, 9@10; California half-cream, 10; Coast full-cream, 12½; Anchor, 12½; Downey, 12½; Young America, 13½; 3-1b. hand, 14½; domestic Swiss, 15@17; imported Swiss, 25@28; Edam, fancy, prodoz., 10.00@10.50.

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POTATOES—Per cwt., Highland Burbanks,
1.00@1.105; Lompoc, 1.00@1.10; Oregon, 1.19@
1.20; Hemet, 1.20%1.25; Salinas, 1.15@1.20; Nevadas, 1.15@1.20; common, 75@90.

SWEET POTATOES—Per cental, 1.00@1.25.
ONIONS—Per cwt., fancy, 3.25; poorer grades, 2.50%3.00.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 65@85; cab-

him, and a dozen times since he had been shown into the room and told that Mrs. Darrell would be with him in a

"I wish to heaven," he had said to

himself, "Darrell had asked anyone else to do this business. Why he should have chosen me passes my comprehension, unless he guessed dow especially painful it would be to me. But no,

neither he nor anyone else dreams of

meither he nor anyone else dreams of my love for Lliian. And he—this dastardly wretch who married her—forsakes her, and whites to me to break it to her! Why should I not make some trivial excuse for my visit at this late hour, and leave her to learn the truth through some other means? That would be rough on her, though as for breaking it, no amount of preparation could soften the brutality of it!"

Douglas Hamilton took a note from his pocket and read it with a look of utter disgust pon his handsome countenance. It ran:

"Dear Hamilton,—
"As you are rather a near neighbor

and an old friend of Lillian's—and of mine, too, at one time—I want to ask you to go to the Grange and see Lilian and tell her somehow thet I have left her. You know all about it, of course. I believe it is talked of in ev-

had almost made un his

DRIED FRUITS, NUTS, RAISINS.

Demand slow; quotations nominal.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, fancy, 769; apricots, fancy, 768; choice, 566; peaches, fancy unpeeled, 566; pears, fancy evaporated, 869; plums, pitted, choice, 9610; prunes, choice, 466; fancy, 7310; dates, 669; grs, California, white, per th., 566; California, black, per ib., 565½; California, tancy layers, per ib., 5610; imported Smyrna, 13615.

RAISINS—London layers, per box, 1.506, 1.70; loose, 466 per ib.; seedless Sultanas, 768.

NUTS—Walnuts, paper-shells, 768; fancy softshells, 667; hardshells, 465; almonds, 50ftshell, 8510; paper-shell, 9611; hardshell, 667; pecans, 9611; filberts, 12; Brazils, 126, 124; pinones, 1061; peanuts, eastern, raw, 667; roasted, 8635; California, raw, 365; roasted, 6467.

GRAIN AND HAY.

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Very firm. Shipping barley advanced to 97½\(\omega\)1.02; selling price to millers now is 1.05, but the big mills still sell whole barley 1.65, but the big mills still sell whole barley at the price and rolled at 1.10.

WHEAT-Per cental, 1.30@1.35 for shipping; millers' quotations, 1.50 for job lets.

BARLEY-Per cental, 97%@1.02½ for shipping; millers' quotations, 1.65.

CORN - Per cental, large yellow, 90@92½; small yellow, 92%@95; white, nominal; millers' quotations, small yellow, 1.05; large yellow, 1.00.

10.0. HAY — Per ton, alfalfa, 14.00@16.00; barley, 15.00@18.00; oat, 15.00@18.00; wheat, 15.00@18.00. STRAW—Per ton, 6.00@7.00. LIVE STOCK. Very firm. Good hors and cattle scarce. HOGS—Per cwt. 4.25@4.35. CATTLE —Per cwt. 3.50@4.00 for prime steers. 3.00@2.25 for cows and helfers. SHEEP—Per head. wethers, 3.75@4.50; ewes, 2.00@3.50; lambs, 2.00@2.25.

FRESH MEATS.

Very firm.

BEEF-Per lb., 6½@7.

VEAL-Per lb., 7@8.

MUTTON-Per lb., 7.08; lamb, 369.

PORK-Per lb., 6½.6½.

HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW. Hides firm at last quotations. Wool nom-

HIDES-Dry, as they run, 15 per lb.; klp, 2; calf, 16; bulls, 7. 12: calf. 16: bulls, 7. WOO!—Nominal. TALLOW—Per lb., 2@2½.

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PROVISIONS. Steady at last quotations.

HAMS—Per lb. Rex brand, 10¼; selected wild cure, 9; picnic, 6; boncless, 9

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 10; fancy

SHORT STORY OF THE DAY.

LIFE'S COMPENSATIONS.

[PUBLISHED IN THE TIMES BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.]

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, March 9.—Trading on the Stock Exchange was listless all day, with the exception of an early burst of activity. There were buying orders at the opening and there was the additional incentive of a sharp recovery in Ame—ns on the London Exchange, so that the professional traders who were seeking the vulnerable points in the armor of the bear contingent succeeded in bilding up prices to uncover margins of some of the shorts. The resulting scramble to cover caused the rise, which was most marked in the specialities, but which extended up to a point also in the railway list. One important failure resulted from the squeeze of shorts. After the reduction of the short interest prices sagged with only occasional slight interruptions during the remainder of the day. In the late dealings the level of the market had fallen practically to last night's level, out a hardening at the close resulted in a small gain throughout the list. The progress of a periodical settlement on the London Exchange caused some buying here for that account. The feverish undertone of the foreign markets was, however, more or elss reflected here. The weakness of foreign exchanges on reports of internal trouble in Brazil, also had its influence in unsettling the local stock market. Realizing in New York Central had a depressing effect on the list. The continued engagement of gold for import had no influence in view of the hardness of the money rates, the stiffening time loans and the increased tenders of mercantile paper, both here and at other domestic percentage continued weak, the actual rate for demand aterling falling to 4.8% and the posted rates being reduced % centers being reduced % centers between the posted rates being reduced % centers between the honory was however, reflected in a rise of sterling exchange both at Parls and Berlin.

The bond market fell into duliness today and there were some recessions from early

Gold in Transit. NEW YORK, March 9.—Lexard Freres annunce that they have \$750,000 additional in gold engaged for imports. Hackard & Co. have \$200,000 in gold in transit from France. The total of the present movement is \$12,-725,000.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$224,541,637; gold reserve, \$168,823,179.

Boston Stock Market. BOSTON, March 9.—Atchison, 11%; Bell Telephone, 252; Burlington, 92%; Mexican Cen-

"Trust George! Why I love him. I can him to have everything I can

"Mrs. Darrell," Hamilton began, ravely and reluctantly, "have you forgotten that it was not your note that brought me here? I came on a most painful errand, and now—after what you have told me of yourself—I would to God I could leave it undone."

"You—you agitate me—your tone is so gloomy. Is it that my money is

Darrell," Hamilton began,

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Chicago Live-stock Market.
CHICAGO, March 9.—Cattle ruled about 10 cents higher. Bulk of the offerings, 4.350 5.10; common dressed beef, 3.8504.00; prime shipping, 5.5005.65; stockers and feeders, 2.1062345; canners, 2.4003.00; fat heifers, 3.75 62.40. Hogs were about 5 cents higher; commonest lots, 3.70; strictly prime heavy, 4.50; sales largely at 3.9004.00; pigs, 3.4003.80. Sheep and lambs were in active demand. Sheep sold freely at 3.0004.60, mainly at 4.00 64.50; goats, 3.0003.50. Lambs, 4.2505.50 for inferior to extra-fine, bulk going at 5.0005.40. Receipts, cattle, 1000; hogs, 24,000; sheep, 21,000.
Boston Wool Market.

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London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, March 9.—The Evening Post's London financial cablegram sys that today's settlement of the stock market here revealed a comparatively-small account, wing to recent liquidations, and, considering the dearness of money, contangoes were fairly light. This was most moticeable in Americans, where the contangoes were fairly light. This was most moticeable in Americans, where the contangoes were a to 5/2 per cent. The settlement in that market suws that the result of the recent heavy light months pot, or else the stock has gone into much stronger hands. At the same time much stronger hands. At the same time he recent shake-out was so severe that undoubtedly the next initiative will have been successful account was disclosed in Grand Trunk, where the contangoes were as high as 20 per cent. The general tone in all the markets was better and calmer today, but the low was under the best. The shree rest financiers here levek for no impart to the street of dearmoney, but it is believed that speculation may revive after the level that speculation may revive after the sheet and ther leans. Gold is still beling bought for export at New York. There were sharp fall in Brazilian stocks at the close. Exchange is down 5 per cent. There were rumors that a Brazilian house in Paris had failed. Frivate cables report a suspension of business in Bombay in consequence of riots. Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, March 9.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow of the wool market that not since August, 1896, have sales been so small as this week. It is asserted quite generally that many manufacturers have been obliged to go back to their pelley of three years ago and employ substitutes in order to show profits. The dullness has not yet had a depressing effect upon the trade. Prices are substantially unchanged. Higher prices are expected at clip time, and some clips are now being contracted for at that figure that seems to justify this expectation.

Kansas City Live-stock Market. KANSAS CITY (Mo.,) March 9.—Cattle recepts, 5800. Bulk of sales, 4.69@5.15; cows and heifers strong, 1.50@4.50; stockers and feeders active, 3.36%.55; best brought 5.35. Texans and Indians, 3.00@4.50. Sheep recepts 2000. Sheep, active and strong; westerns, 3.65@4.30; lambs, 5.25@5.35.

California Dried Fruits. NEW YORK, March 9.—California dried fruits, steady, with good demand. Evaporated apples, common, 5@8: prime wire tray, \$\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{6}\sqrt{8}\sqrt{3}\sqrt{8}\sqrt{9}\sqrt{8}\sqrt{1}\sq

Copper and Lend. NEW YORK, March 9.—Lead, barely steady Lake copper at unchanged, at 11% bid an 12 asked. 011 Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) March 9.—Credit balances 79, certificates closed 79½ bid for regular cash offered at 78½. Cash sales and regular 46,000 barrels; shipments, 78,168 barrels; runs, 98,089 barrels.

Liverpool Grain. LIVERPOOL, March 9. — Close. Corn. March, steady, 3s 4%d; May, steady, 3s 3%d. July, steady, 3s 3%d.

Petroleum.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Petroleum, dull.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain and Produce.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, March '9.—Everything in the wheat pit showed strength at the opening, July starting ¼@¾ higher, at 19¼@91¾, and May ¼@½ higher, at 10½.05¼. The only apparent reason was the firmness in European markets, both Liverpool and Paris showing good advances. Local news was, however, altogether bearish at first and influenced by this fact and the desire to realize on the opening advance, traders sold enougn to knock prices down very quickly. The more pacific aspect affairs in Europe evidenced by the higher British consols, undoubtedly also affected traders. The market for July and May, as a consequence, became weak. The usual long period of dullness followed, which was in itself a weakening factor. May getting down to 1.04¼ and July to 90%. Missouri State crop report figures showed a very low condition of winter wheat and caused some interest to be taken in September and December. After 11 o'clock the market began to revive all around. About noon large export seles at Baltimore for shipment to France started good buying, which became fairly heavy when large flour clearances from Newport News was reported, in the last few minutes a Grain and Produce. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—Spot wheat firmer and more active; choice milling higher; spot barley firmly held; options less active and steady; offerings light. Oats have a tendency to advance and demand is better. Corn very dull. Hay easy; market inactive. Potatoes firm. Onions steady. Peas and rhubarb weaker. Few tomatoes and string beans arriving. Mushrcoms overstocked.

help me."
Then she spoke rapidly, wandering in

the lights come."

She sang soft and sweetly, her voice full of pathos:
"Verlassen, verlassen, verlassen bin i, Wei die stein auf der strazze.
"It wes harrowing to Hamilton to hear, her sing like that; sobs rose in his throat.
"My darling my darling my

She lay still in Hamilton's arms in rapturous silence. He thought she was sleeping. Then she whispered: "George, there was something. What was it, darling?"

pain?"
"Not now; but I know I am dying.
"Not now; but I know I am dying.

And Lilian Darrell breathed her last sigh in the arms of Douglas Hamilton. ELLERTON GAY. ELLERTON GATE [The end.] [Copyright, 1897, by Ellerton Gay.]

Apples unchanged; supply ample for demand. Mexican limes lower. Butter weak and fraction lower. Farl demand for eggs. Butter, fancy creamery, 18½ 619; seconds, 17½ 618, fancy creamery, 18½ 619; seconds, 17½ 618. Fancy dairy, 18½ 617; seconds, 16½ 61. Eggs, ranch, 11½ 612½; store, 10½ 611.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO Masch & Figur. Frankle.

gray, 1.15@1.17½; milling, 1.20@1.25; Surprise, 1.25@1.35; black, for seed, 1.35@1.50; red, 1.35 @1.45.

Millstuffs-Middlings, 20.60@22.50.

Hay-Wheat, 16.00@18.50; wheat and oat, 16.00@17.50; best barley, 14.50@16.50; alfalfa, 10.50@11.00; clover, 11.00@13.00; stock, 11.00@12.200; compressed wheat, 17.00@19.00; straw, per bale, 37½@45.

Potatoes-Early rose, 65@75; river Burbanks, 50@65; river reds, 50@60; Oregon, 70 @90; Merced sweets, 75@86.

- Vegetables-Onlong, 2.50@2.55; hothouse cucumbers, 50@61.00; garle, 3½@4; green pess, 3@4; summer squash, 8; okra, 16; asparagus, 3@4; egg plant, 15@20; chile green peppers, 25@30; mushrooms, 40@; tomatoes, 10@15; string beans, 10@15; rhubarb, 75@1.25.

Fruit-Apples, choice, 1.25; common, 40@60; cranberries, 7.00@8.00; oranges, navels, 1.25@, 2.00; Mexican limés, reparck, 5.00@5.50; common California lemons, 75@1.25; choice California lemons, 75@1.25; choice California lemons, 2.25; bananas, 1.00@2.25 per bunch; pincapples, 2.00@4.00 per dozen, Butter-Fancy creamery, 18½@19; seconds, 15@16.

Cheese-New, 9½; old, 9; California cream cheddar, 10@11; vest.

©16. Cheese—New, 9½; old, 9; California cream cheddar, 10@11; Young America, 10@11; eastern, 12@13; western, 10@11.
Eggs—Store, 10½@11; fancy ranch, 11½@

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Poultry—Turkey gobblers, 11@12 per pound; turkey hens, 11@12; old roosters, 4.00; young roosters, 7.00@7.50; small brollers, 3.50 @4.50; large brollers, 5.50@8.50; fryers, 6.00@ 6.50; hens, 4.00@5.00; old ducks, 4.00@5.00; geese, 1.50@1.75 per pair; old pigeons, 1.25; young pigeons, 1.50@2.25.
Beans — Pink, 2.50@2.60; lima, 2.10@2.20; small white, 1.56@1.65; large white, 1.50@1.65.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

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Los Angeles Mining-stock Market. Los Angeles Mining and Stock Exchange. LOS ANGELES, March 9. Bid. Sales.

4.000 at \$.25 Unlisted active-

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—Flour, quarter sacks, 14,682; Oregon, 820; wheat, centals, 21,755; barley, centals, 30,835; beans, sacks, 800; potatoes, sacks, 1356; Oregon, 1609; bran, secks, 710; middlings, sacks, 200; hay, tons, 5; wool, bales, 10; Oregon, 5; hides, number, 467; raisins, boxes, 600; quicksilver, flasks, 170; wine, galons, 24,300; brandy, gallons, 2600. Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Merch 9.—Silver bars, 54%; Mexican dollars, 45½@46; drafts, sight, 20; drafts, telegraph, 22½.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records containing recorded maps.)

The following is a list of the transfers of real estate recorded yesterday, involving amounts of \$1000 or over:

J. G. Schaefer to Mrs. Katharine Peters, a portion of lots 12 and 13 of the Riverdale tract in the Rancho San Rafael; consideration, \$5400. \$5400.
Andrew Ziegler to John Johnston, an undivided one-quarter interest of the west feet of lot 8 in block 34 of the town of Po

W A Barker, as executor of the estate of I Clinton Myer, to H B Fasig, lot 3 of block 10, East Los Angeles; consideration, 71500.

S P Mulford to Charles W Speer, a parce of land containing 10 acres in section 8 township 1; consideration, \$1200.

Emma W Lea to Alfred E Lea, lot 7 in block C of the South Bonnie Brae tract consideration, \$3500.

SPECIAL CHURCH MEETING The Resignation of Rev. Burt Estes

Howard Accepted. A largely-attended meeting of the rustees and congregation of the First Presbyterian Church was held last evening in the Sunday-school room, which is an adjunct of the church building, at the corner of West Twen-

building, at the corner of West Twentieth and Figueroa streets.

The meeting had been called to consider the resignation of the pastor, Rev. Burt Estes Howard, which had been placed in the hands of the trustees some time before, and which Mr. Howard insisted on being accepted. The meeting was harmonicus throughout. The pastor was present and made a brief address, again asking that his resignation be accepted, and a resolution to that effect was unanimously adopted, March 28, being the date fixed for the same to take effect. Until that time there will be no change in the relations of pastor and church, but what move will be made at that time remains as yet altogether undetermined.

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Another resolution, which was also adopted last evening without dissent, was one ratifying the action of the board of trustees in making a tender of the entire church property to the Presbyterial Committee in settlement of all claims upon the church. This offer had been referred by the committee to the Central Church, one of the organizations which the presbytery had sought to form from the First Presbyterian Church, but the offer was refused. And so the matter at present stands, with a suit at law pending to determine the property rights, and the church about to lose the pastor who has stood by so valiantly by it in all determine the property rights, and the church about to lose the pastor who has stood by so valiantly by it in all the trials through which it has passed. No definite steps have yet been taken toward organizing another church

AN ORATORICAL CONTEST. College Students to Indulge in Flow

of Eloquence for a Prize. The intercollegiate oratorical test will take place in Music Hall or Monday, March 28, and in scholastic circles considerable interest is being taken in the event.

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The association comprises Pomona and Occidental colleges, and the University of Southern California. Pomona will be represented in this contest by Romeo C. Gauld 100 who test by Romeo C. Gould, '99, who was

test by Romeo C. Gould, '99, who was the college's representative last year also.

E. H. Miller, '98, will speak for Occidental. His oratorical powers are not well known outside of his own college, but he is there highly appreciated. The University of Southern California will send Earnest Bradley, '99, and if the University paper is to be believed he is a champion worthy of his competitors.

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The judges on thought and composition will be: Prof. E. B. Clapp, Berkeley; W. S. Melick, Pasadena, and Prof. M. M. Parker, University of Arizona. On delivery, the following will be the judges: G. W. Parsons, T. E. Gibbon and W. A. Spalding.

The prize to be awarded at this contest is to be \$25 and a gold medal valued at \$10. The prize has been won four times by the University of South-

LUENG DIK TOY.

Mongolian from San Diego May Be The case of Lueng Dik Foy was being twied yesterday in the Federal District Court before Judge Weliborn. District Court before Judge Weilburn. Foy is charged with being illegally in the country. In defense, Foy says he was living in San Diego, and at the request of certain officers of the law he went to Ensenada after a Chinese

murderer. He says he was away from home but a short time, and had no intention of leaving the United States for good. The action is based upon Foy's having left the country on that occasion, which is said to be forbidden under the exclusion act.

The case was submitted to Judge Weilborn for his decision.

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you going to act the fool? You have fear of losses. HUDYAN stops them in a week. If you are weak-kneed HUDYAN braces you up and makes a man out of you. By the help of HUDYAN you are able to do all your work and to put on the face of manhood. And that is the face that you want to wear. Manhood is what all people love. No spots before the eyes when you have that. No gloom. No bother. No worry. And the one thing that produces it is HUDYAN. And you can get HUDYAN only from the doctors of the great and grand Hudsonian Institute. They make cures.

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Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Supplies. N.H.D.V.S.," and addressed to the undersigned.

Major and Treasurer,
Approved, ANDREW J. SMITH.
Colonel and Governor.

Notice
For Publication of Time for Proving
Will, etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, STATE OF
California, county of Los Angeles, ss.—In
the matter of the estate of Kate Kern, decased.

Notice is hereby given that Friday, the lith
day of March, 1888, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said
day, at the courtroom, of this court, department two thereof, in the city of Los Angeles,
county of Los Angeles, and state of California, has been appointed as the time and place
for hearing the application of John S. Saunders praying that a document now on file in
this court, purporting to be the last will and
testament of the said deceased, be admitted
to probate, that letters testamentary be issued
thereon to said petitioner, at which time and
place all persons interested therein may appear and comments the same
Dated February 28, 1898.

By C. W. Biake, deputy.

Notice to Contractors

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The Gila Valley, Globe and Northern Railway Company will receive bids at their office, 314 Stimson Block, Los Angeles. Cal., up to 6 p.m., March 12, for the grading of between 40 and 50 miles of the extension of their line between the town of. Geronimo and the town of Globe, in the Territory of Ariza, the company reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Maps and profiles will be on exhibition at the office of the company, on and after the 20th inst.

WILLIAM GARLAND, President, Los angeles, Cal., February 14, 1898.

course. I believe it is tank have su ery club in town, and you have su tact that you can break it gently t fore she sees the evening papers. Poor little woman, she is not particularly strong, and somehow, though it is no

strong, and somehow, though it is no excuse, I have never been able to stand weakly people. I know I am acting brutally in leaving her, but I am madly in love with Fossette. She has an engagement in Russia, you know, and as she won't give it up I am going with her. There is nobody else I can ask to do this, but I feel sure you will not refuse.

Yours sincerely,
"George Darrell."
"A wretched little Frenchwoman, who calls herself 'La Fosette,' a 'danseuse eccentrique.' The man must be mad!"
Hamilton stuffed 'the note he had

he mad!"

Hamilton stuffed the note he had been reading hastily into his trousers pocket as the door opened quietly and Mrs. Darrell advanced to him, with a bright smile of welcome on her pale, worn cheek "I call this most kind of you to come

soon," she said cordially; "I hardly ught I should see you until tomor-"You expected me? I don't under-stand—" Hamilton said, with a puz-zled air, his heart aching for this del-cate-looking little creature.

"You got my note?" she asked.
"I came straight from town. I have not been home."
"No? Then why—? I beg your pardon, I was going to ask you why you came; a scarcely hospitable question."

"Will you not tell me why you wished to see me?" Hamilton said, hastily; "I will explain afterward the object of my visit."

"I sent for you, Mr. Hamilton, to do me a favor."
"I will, gladly; only tell me what it is."
"Thank you so much. I was almost "Thank you so much. I was almost but I am no man of business of the prince, way he looked a hamilton that he had (as me hamilton that he had (a paced the long narrow drawing-room of Leigh Grange, looking ab-sently at the photographs and "bibelots" strewn about the tables, but obviously seeing nothing of all he looked at. He had a very unpleasant task before

he was married."
"Don't you think one outgrows one's friends?" Hamilton said, lamely.
"Is not constancy the first and last article in the creed of friendship? But you will large the constancy the first and last article in the creed of friendship? But article in the creed of friendship? But you will laugh at my reason for wanting to claim you for a friend."

"I will gladly acknowledge the claim, whatever the reason." Hamilton said. He felt as passive as a nail in the wall, offering a mere peg for opportunity to hang her rags on.

"It is just because you are so like George!"

eorge!" "Like Darrell!" Hamilton said with a

"Like Darrell!" Hamilton said with a latent tone of disgust, "no one ever told me that before."

"Not really like, perhaps, yet my impulse has been to talk to you as if you were George's brother; and I naturally thought of you now when I want the help of a friend."

Hamilton could hardly restrain the ejaculation, "God knows you do!"

"Mr. Hamilton, I heard yesterday, from my doctor, that I have but a short time to live, a very short time. I insisted on knowing the truth."

"Oh, my dear Mrs. Darrell, this cannot be true."

"Oh, my dear Mrs. Daniel of true."

"It is, indeed, she said, calmly. "I may, with extreme care, live three or four months, but I cannot live six."

"My God!" said Hamilton, much moved. "Did George—does George

"My God!" said Hamilton, much moved. "Did George—does George know of this?"

"Oh, no. I would not for worlds tell him until it is absolutely necessary. Why should I darken the few weeks of happiness left to us? Don't you pity me? I am only twenty-four. It is very young to die and leave all one loves on earth."

Her sweet voice thrilled with repressed emotion.

"You must not die," he said impetuously, with difficulty repressing a mad tremulous longing to take her in his arms and defy death to touch her. "In these days of science surely something can be done to save you."

"No, alas! All the leading specialists have been consulted, and they have all doomed me. It will be dreadful to die—to leave George and my two bables. You have never seen them. This is their photograph. Aren't they darlings."

paintui? Has he not been leaving you alone a great deal of late?"

"That is a matter on which I should never think of complaining to you, or the world, Mr. Hamilton." The fragile little woman drew herself up with dignity. "My health has prevented my riding with my husband this winter, and I have been unable to bear the fatigue of society. But this is an affair between him and me."

"Have you heard—no whisper of—attentions bestowed elsewhere—another woman?"

"It is false; you insult me," she said hotly; then recovering herself and speaking calmly, she added: "I—I beg your pardon. Doubtless you think you are speaking the truth, but you must have been imposed on by some vite slanderer."

"If I could be guilty of repeating more their photograph. Aren't they darlings."

Hamilton took the photograph she handed to him and walked with it to the window to hide his emotion.

"I shall not mind leaving them so much: they will have their father to love them. But my husband—" Her voice broke into a faint sob that wrung Hamilton's heaft.

"They are becautiful children," he murmured, with an aching tonstriction of the throat.

"God bless them!" she said fervently, pressing her cheek to the photograph for a moment. "But I am taking up

all your time and not telling you what I want you to do for me."

I will do anything I can—anything."
One thought was pressing insistently on his brain. "Must she know?"
A man-servant entered the room noiselessly with newspapers, which he arranged on a table near his mistress. He took the letters for post and went out as quietly as he had-entered. Something in the man's face, and the modeling his arms unconscious. He lifted her slight form with ease, and laying her on a sofa knell in helpless grief beside no asofa knell in helpless grief beside forced calmness; "must you tell me? If it is anything I could remain blind to for the short remainder of my life, of God's sake, don't tell me. Oh, pity me—think how soon I must dle—"she pleaded brokenly.

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One thought was pressing insistently
on his brain. "Must she know?" on his brain. "Must she know?"

A man-servant entered the room noiselessly with newspapers, which he arranged on a table near his mistress. He took the letters for post and went out as quietly as he had entered. Something in the man's face, and the way he looked at his mistress, told Hamilton that he had (as is usual with his kind) glanced at all the principal items of news before bringing in the papers.

"Stay, Mr. Hamilton," she said, with forced calmness; "must you tell me? If it is anything I could remain blind to for the short remainder of my life, for God's sake, don't tell me. Oh, pity me—think how soon I must die—" she pleaded brokenly.
"Can I forget it! But alas, I fear ignorance is no longer possible; it will be known everywhere this evening. Can you forgive me for the blow I am about to deal you? Believe me that for nothing on earth would I have undertaken this duty except that I hoped to do it more gently than another. Oh, forgive me. You are ill."

Mrs. Darrell had turned deadly white, Hamilton thought she was going to

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

Grain and Produce.

Hamilton thought she was going to faint.
"No, no," she said recovering herself;

Repeat the lesson that "go on. Repeat the lesson that the busybodies have imagined against the honor of my husband. I will not be-lieve you."
"Shall I wait until you are feeling

death you have become my sole trustee?" she resumed, when the manservant had gone.

"I have, but I am no man of business, and your lawyers are capable and responsible men. Forgive me if I seem brusque. I can think of nothing but what you have told me about yourself. It is so sad—so unutterably sad."

"Don't sympathize with me," she said brokenly; "it disturbs the calmness for which I am striving so that George may guess nothing. About this trusteeship I want to find out at once, while I am still able to sign papers, if there is not some way of breaking through that strict settlement of my property on my children? I want to realize the largest sum I can and give it to my husband. I cannot tell you how anxious I am to do this, Do, do help me, Mr. Hamilton. I always hated that settlement. I really believe my father thought George was marrying me for my money! Ridiculous! It looks as if I did not trust George, and I want to prove to him that I do."

"You trust your husband entirely? you have never had the least reason to doubt him?"

"Trust George! Why I love him. I want lim to have everything I can

honor of my husband. I will not believe you."

"Shall I wait until you are feeling better?"

"No," she said coldly and imperiously: "unless you can defer telling me until he is at hand to defend himself."

She looked at him with a scorn and repulsion that cut him like a knife. He became desperate as he plunged on with his odious task.

"Where is your husband now? Have you the least idea?"

"We were in town together yesterday. By my own wish I went alone to Harley street; we were to have met at Victoria to return by the last train, but he missed it. I expect him every moment. If he were here—"

"He will never be here again. He left England last evening in company with a woman—a music-hall artiste known as Fossette—"

"And you dare—you have the effrontery—to come here and repeat this—this—infamous story to his wife without proofs! I don't believe you! It is not true, I tell you! You are a monster of cruelty. I hate you. I will never speak to you again."

Hamilton remained quite still, looking at her averted face with pitying tenderness. She turned on him, suddenly crying out:

"You said you had proof. Ah, my God! My husband cannot have done this thing you accuse him of."

"Darrell wrote this to ask me in the name of our old friendship to come and tell you. Will you believe me when I say I would! had been struck dumb before? complete with his request? It pains me unspeakably to see your unhappiness."

He gave her George Darrell's note, and saw how her hand trembled as he took it. Her blue eyes looked an incredulous contempt that made him wince. She deigned no answer to the eloquent pleading of his eyes for acknowledgment that he had been but an innocent instrument in the hand of that chllous surgeon, Fate.

"Leave me." she said, curtly. "I want to be alone. Do you hear? I do not desire your company." lost?"
"It is about George," he answered, making a desperate plunge. Think a moment, 'Mrs. Darrell; are you quite unprepared to hear of something painful? Has he not been leaving you alone a great deal of late?"
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"Leave me." she said, curt want to be alone. Do you hear? want to be alone. Do you hear? I do not desire your company."
Hamilton bowed in silence and went slowly and reluctantly toward the door. He was not deceived by the forced calm of her manner, but he dared not stay in the face of the cold dislike expressed in the tone of his dismissal. He had not reached the door when the sound of her pitiful moaning made him turn with impulsive action.

Her slender form was trembling helplessly, and her strength of restraint was broken; but even as she swayed and fell she motioned him away from her with a look of repulsion. In an-

would have worshiped and cherished you. I would have given my life to make you happy!"

Mrs. Darrell raised herself slightly with a faint cry of anguish.

"Oh, it hurts, it hurts so—mother, help me"

threat.

"My darling, my darling, don't—
don't,' he said, chafing her cold, little
hands gently. "It tears my very soul'
to hear you."

"George!" she said, with a little joyous cry, "you are back at last?"

Hamilton's heart gave a joyous throb
as the woman he loved spoke to him
with that note of intense affection in
her voice, even though he knew she
mistook him for her worthless hushand. Her arms went around his neck,
and the poor little face lifted itself up
to his.

to his.
"Don't fret, my own boy. I am going to die, but I don't mind much. Take me in your arms. Ah, so. Kiss me."

darling?"
"No, no, beloved," Hamilton said, very softly, lest his voice should betray him and remove this undreamed-of bliss from him; "there was nothing. You are tired—ill—that is all. Are you in pagin 2"

"Not now; but I know I am dying.
. There was something, heart's delight, some dreadful trouble.
. I cannot quite remember. I think it was that you did not love me.
. But you do?"

"With my whole soul, and never another but you. Lilian."

"Ah, how good you are, my husband, and how happy I am. To lie like this in your dear arms and know that you love me to the end. Lately, love of my life, I have had a miserable numbing fear that you had grown tired of me."

"A foolish fear, my Lilian."

"Yes, I know that now. I am dying, George, I feel it—and you know it, too. I can feel the tears wet on your cheeks. Don't—don't fret, love. . It is easy to die with your lips on mine and with your dear arms enfolding me, as though you would struggle with Death himself for me."

"No, no, my darling, I would not keep you here if I could, to suffer as you must."

"I have no more of that tearing

must."
"I have no more of that tearing agony now. . . And you are with me! God is good, now that I know for certain. . . Ah! . . . George.



PASADENA.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION NOM

Platform-Wedding of Salvation Army Soldiers at Their Hall. Notes and Personals.

PASADENA, March 9. — [Regular Correspondence.] The Republican convention in Grand Army Hall this afternoon was called to order by Chairman Stearns of the Republican City Central Committee, who called for the nomination of a temporary chairman of the convention. G. A. Gibbs was elected chairman. Messrs. C. M. Davis and H. S. G. McCartney were chosen as secretaries. Committees were appointed § follows: Platform and Resolutions—Jam's McLachlan, J. R. Greer, Jr.; J. W. Wood, B. W. Hahn, Dr. A. H. Palmer. Credentials—George C. Horton, William Prince, Dr. T. S. Greene, S. Washburn, Rules, Order of Business and Permnent Organization—John S. Cox, Edwin Stearns, George T. Downing, James Clark, George T. Patten.

After the recess of twenty minutes, to af-

Son.

Those oyster cocktails and hot drinks at McCament's are very acceptable on a cool or cloudy day.

For sale. Family horse, \$15; harness, \$5; spring wagon, \$22.50; must be sold by Saturday. Union & Raymond, Pasadena, Cal.

SANTA CATALINA.

Raymond & Whitcomb Excursion

today.

L. Brooke, an all-winter resident at Avalon, from Fort McLeod, Can., went fishing Sunday and caught a twenty-eight and another twenty-pound yellowtall a sixteen-pound leopard shark, a horned shark of twenty-five pounds, and three large sheepshead.

SANTA MONICA.

Feud Over a Cuyama Water Ditch.

DEATH OF JOHN HUND.

SALOON-KEEPERS ALERT.

Patten.

After the recess of twenty minutes, to afford the committees time to prepare their reports, the convention re-convened and the Committee on Rules. Order of Business and Permanent Organization made its report, which was adopted, and the temporary organization declared the permanent organization. In the report, as accepted, the speeches of nomination were limited to five minutes, and the seconds to two minutes each.

The report of the Committee on Platform was adopted, the platform as adopted being as follows:

Raymond & Whitcomb Excursionists—Hunting and Fishing Party.

AVALON (Catalina Island.) March 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] Last Friday a large
party of Raymond & Whitcomb excursionlists,
chiefly New England people, came over in
charge of C. A. Cook, and Monday another
one arrived, chaperoned by Carroli Hutchins.
The next party is due on Thursday.

Otto Franc, a cattleman of Meeteetse, Wyo.,
who has been enjoying life here for the
past six weeks left yesterday for home.
A party of six gentlemen chartered the
Paloma at San Pedro Saturday afternoon and
reached Avalon at 5 o'clock. After dinner
they took the stage for a moonlight drive
to Eagle Camp. They went goat hunting
Sunday, securing several pairs of horns, came
to Avalon Monday morning and left by the
afternon steamer. The party included W. L.
Valentine, Leon Phipps, Los Angeles; A. R.
Wilson, F. J. Steele, G. C. Easton, L. T.
Crandall, Chino.

Ex-Gov. John P. Atgeld of Chicago was
so well pleased with his trip to Catalina in
January that he returned yesterday, bringing his wife with him.

Dr. J. N. Martin of Ann Arbor, Mich., a
winter resident of Avalon, recently received
from San Diego some fresks in the citrus
fruit line, consisting of a seedless lemon,
the rind of which is the exact color of an
orange. This is the result of several years
experimenting by a San Diego fruit grower.

E. H. Johnson, live stock agent in Montana for the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, has been here for six weeks hunting
at Eagle Camp and fishing at the IsthnusHe was joined here three weeks ago by his
wife and niece, Miss Edith Whalen Phey left
today.

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"We the Republicans of Pasadena, in convention assembled, declare that we favor a broad and liberal policy in future legislation to the end that present investments may not be unnecessarily depreciated, and new investments be encouraged, resulting in a healthy competition in all utilities of life, Fully realizing that no branch of the public service is today more prominently before the public than the question of transportation, we do hereby welcome all lines of transportation desiring to enter our city, and to accord to each proper and reasonable facilities, under just limitations and restrictions.

"We deprecate the unbusinesslike policy that wastefully grants valuable franchises for railways, electric lighting, telephone or telegraph lines upon terms incommensurate with their values.

"We further believe that the interests and beauty of our city demand that, if practicable, all wires for use in the conveyance of electricity, telephone or telegraph purposes shall be either placed underground or in the alleys of the immediate business center.

"We hereby declare and pledge ourselves to an economical and honest administration of the affairs of this city. We are proud of the progress already made in road-building in our beautiful city, and believe that poorly-kept streets and ungraded roads not only detract from the appearance of the city at large, but actually diminish the market value of all reality.

"Therefore, we pledge to this branch of the progress already made in road-building in our beautiful city, and believe that poorly-kept streets and ungraded roads not only detract from the appearance of the city at large, but actually diminish the market value of all reality.

"Therefore, we pledge to this branch of the progress are and convenient use."

"We recognize that the bicycle as a mode of transportation has come to occupy a place in the necessities of business, and demand that the

poide for its safe and convenient use. We are now, as we always have been, over the saloon in Pasadena. The order of the saloon is the order of the saloon of the order of the saloon of t

he nomination was seconded by Ward B. owland.

Mr. McCartney of the Second Ward placed nomination John B. Helen, and J. G. ossiter seconded the nomination. Upon the sult of the ballot being annonuced, Mr. obbins was declared to have 89 votes and r. Helen 5. The nomination of Mr. Dobns was made unanimous.

Mr. McLachian nominated Dr. T. Sumner reene for Trustee from the Fourth Ward. The home seconded the nomination, which was e universal choice of the delegation from e Fourth Ward; the rules were suspended do Dr. Greene was nominated by acclamation.

acclamation, which was done. The nomination of a marshal was called for, and Charles W. Swan, who had been announced as one of the candidates, arose and said that he desired to withdraw his name from the convention as a candidate. He would support any candidate the convention aominated. Mr. Mennig nominated W. S. Lacey, the present City Marshal, and the somination was seconded by Mr. Carr of the Third Ward. nomination was seconded by Mr. Carr of the Third Ward. T. J. Jean then placed in nomination John Slater, and the nomination was seconded by Mr. Horton of the Third Ward. The re-sult of the ballot was: Lacey, 52; Slater, 44, and Mr. Lacey was declared the nominee of

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Heman Dyer was placed in nomination for lity Clerk by James Clark, who read the ollowing letter from Mr. Dyer, which was eccived with cheers. It was addressed to C. C. Brown, chairman of the Non-Partisan Executive Committee, and was a copy of the original letter:

"Dear Sir: I hereby notify you that I did not authorize the use of my name as a canlidate for City Clerk before the convention of your party last evening, and that I hereby lecline the nomination to said position, as have heretofore signified by intention of citing with the Republican party, whose convention meets this afternoon.

"Dated, Passadena, Cal., March 9, 1898."

The nomination was seconded by Mr. Mills of the Fourth Precinct. The rules were sussended, and Mr. Dyer declared the nominee of the convention by acclamation.

The following gentlemen were nominated for library trustees: Sherman Washburne, G. Gibbs, C. M. Parker, J. E. James and I. W. Wood.

The Finance Committee was appointed as ollows: Albert Mercer, Robert Eason, M. E. Wood, J. D. Nash and Calvin Hartwell.

The City Central Committee was elected as follows: George C. Horton, Dr. F. A. Weir, Robert Eason, John Allin, Albert Merer, George Wagner, J. H. Merriam, S. W. Wilson, George T. Downing, A. M. Elson, Thomas Banbury, Sherman Washburne, J. C. Viler, W. B. Rowland, G. A. Gibbs and C. S. Greene.

Feud Over a Cuyamn Water Ditch.

John Hund's Death.

VENTURA, March 9.—(Regular Correspondence.) Last night Constable Frank Tryce returned from Cuyama with Renie Brown and Onis Brown, aged 13 and 10 years respectively, who are charged by J. C. Lowe with assault with a deadly weapon on Mrs. Martha Lowe. Cuyama is situated in the northeastern part of this county, and the Constable was three days going and coming from the mountainous section. There are but few families living in the section, and report has it that the Brown and Lowe families have been at variance for several years flast over 'water privileges.

Lowe alleges that the Brown boys drew a double-barreled shotgun on his wife. The two families get their water from the same ditch, and at present there is not a bountiful supply of water. The preliminary examination of the boys has been set for March 21, at 2 o'clock. They are now out on \$.50 bail each. SALVATIONISTS WED.

A large number of people crowded the hall ccupied by the Salvation Army this evening 5 witness the wedding of Fred Willox of Los angeles and Maud Reid of this city, and the eremony was performed by Staff Captain bunbam of Los Angeles. The best man was larry Clark and the bridesmaid was Mrs. IcClellan. Previous to the wedding a parado cas held through the streets, in which the ride and bridesmaid marched in flowing thit veils and white costumes. Mr. and Irs. Willox will reside in Los Angeles.

PASADENA BREVITIES. DEATH OF JOHN HUND.

Early this morning John Hund, Sr., died at his late residence on Meta street. He was 80 years old, and has resided here since 1885. He had a atroke of paralysis in June, 1895, from which he never recovered. He leaves two sons, residing here, Deputy County Assesor John Hund and Fred Hund. He also leaves a sister in Kansas.

SALCON, KEEPERS ALERT.

PASADENA BREVITIES'

James Dowling and Charles Weygang, two books employed at Hotel Green attempted to ettle a dispute with two clubs last night bout midnight, in the quarters occupied by the employes of the hotel. Justice Merriam has now been called in to arbitrate. The time of trial has not been set.

Messrs. H. H. Rose, F. P. Childs, A. T. churmeler and R. P. Scudder yesterday enject on the logal points should represent a live-pigeon shoot. One hundred birds PASADENA BREVITIES

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

THE FORTIFICATIONS MANNED BY

SAN DIEGO, March 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] Battery D, Third Artillery, moyed this morning, bag and baggage, from the barracks in this city across to Ballast Point, to take charge of the fortifications. For the past week about twenty-five men have been working, in night and day shifts, making roads and getting ready for the mounting of the three big guns that are to frown down upon any hostile fleet that may become possessed of the idea of entering this port against the consent of the United States government. For several days past Capt. Polhamus and a force of men have been busy at work removing the third gun from the lighter to the emplacement, and now everything is ready for the mounting of the guns, or will be by tomorrow evening.

In the emplacements stations are provided for officers and lookouts, where the movements of a hostile fleet can be noted and directions given to the gunners. To handle each of the guns, in time of war, requires three shifts of twenty-five men each. This means 225 men for the three guns, not counting the torpede encasements, where about thirty or forty more men are needed.

The gunners themselves do not do the aiming the torpedo encasements, where about thirty or forty more men are needed.

The gunners themselves do not do the aiming when the weapons are being fired. They simply place the gun in the position indicated by an officer, who may be a mile or more away, by electric signal.

SAN DIEGO BATTALION.

A number of the old vertans in San Diego are becoming somewhat aroused over the

Marshal Lacey still has a sorrel horse in the pound, for which an owner is wanted.

The Country Club will be formally opened by a reception to be held March 19.

Rain began falling about 10 o'clock this evening.

A number of the old veterans in San Diego

"SPECK" KAVANAUGH COMES BACK. Dan Kavanaugh, better known as "Speck" (avanaugh, the freekled-face newsboy who

Sewer Contractor and City Inspec-Sewer Contractor and City Inspec-tor Have a Quarrel.

SANTA MONICA, March 9.—[Regular Cor-respondence.] C. L. Powell, the contractor for part of the trunk sewer, was tried by Justice Wells this morning on a charge of battery, in which Thomas H. James was the compilainant. Mr. James is the superintend-

battery, in which Thomas H. James was the complainant. Mr. James is the superintendent of construction for the work, and has done practically all the inspection on the part of the city. There had previously been several disputes between the contractor and himself as to how the work should be done. In one instance there was a physical encounter, but the matter dropped at that point. On Tuesday, however, the quarrel was renewed. According to James's allegation, Powell, with little or no provocation, struck him in the face. According to Powell's story, he did nothing wrong. After hearing the evidence, the court took the case under advisement, This afternoon the court announced that the defendant had been adjudged guilty, and that a fine of \$6.60, the amount of the costs, would be imposed. Mr. Powell said he would fight the matter to the bitter end, and and gave informal notice of appeal.

the case of T. J. Higgins vs. the city and the water company.

There was a light mist of rain in this city last night and this morning, and the indications continue good for rain. In the "back country" there was quite a shower during the night.

Leputy Constable "Billy" Kerans returned yesterday from Santa Ana with Carnuta Merando, charged with stealing two mules from Miguel Arbello, and afterward selling them.

Deatload of fish.

The business men of Oceanside have effected an organization for the purpose of opening up a public highway from Oceanside to De Luz.

A large number of the fishing sloops in the bay are being fitted out with gasoline engines, in order that their work may be facilitated.

facilitated.

Oliver Fuller, aged 69 years, of Vermont, and May E. Caldwell, aged 49 years, of Chula Vista, this county, were married yes-

Chula Vista, this county, terday.

W. W. Bowers has received a message from Washington informing him of his appointment of Collector of the Port of San Diego.

Manual of men from the monitors to North ment of Collector of the Port of San Diego.
Ten boathoads of men from the menitors
Monadnock and Monterey went to North
Island yesterday for extended drill practice.
The menitor Monterey began taking on a
large supply of coal this morning, but the
vessel will not leave port just yet.
G. F. Hess has purchased the Peck residence on Golden Hill, at the corner of
Twentieth and D streets.
The weath Delphin was launched in the

The yacht Dolphin was launched in the ay yesterday. She will be given a trial tip on Sunday. Devid Klein has petitioned the Superior Court for a discharge from insolvency. John T. Akerman has been appointed post-master at North San Diego. The estate of John Soloman has been ap-praised at \$2365.64.

Chasing the Festive Jack on North Island-Prominent Arrivals. HOTEL DEL CORONADO, March 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] Several hundred visiting tourists from almost every part of the United States, assembled on North Island this afternoon to witness the exciting coursing events. The full pack of thirty bounds were

CORONADO BREVITIES.

Orange County Growers Interested

orange County Growers interested in Lower Freight Rates. SANTA ANA, March 9.—[Regular Corre-spondence.] Much interest is being taken by Orange county citrus-grove owners in the meeting of citrus-fruit growers of Southern which convenes in Los Angeles

decets of a coid, which yearserder resulted to the death. The funeral services will be held bur death. The funeral services will be held to Thursday morning at 10 o'clock from the Congregational Church.

The case of P. B. Laroche vs. the San Diego Brewing Company came up yesterday before the Superior Court, on an appeal from the Justice Court, where Laroche had obtained judgment for \$100 for injuries received by the running away of the company's delived by the running away of the company's delived to the defendant's counsel of the time fixed for hearing the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case will now be had in the Justice Court on the demurrer. The trial of the case of the High School lassies by a score of 1 to do of Abite Thompson, Mabel Knox. Annal Paran, Those of the High School lassies by a score of 1 to do of the High School was a court of the High School wa

RIVERSIDE.

County Board of Supervisors Meet.

Commissioners Report.
RIVERSIDE, March 9.—[Regular Correspondence.] The County Board of Supervisors met in regular monthly session today. erintendent of Schools Hyatt presented

petition for the formation of Pauba disict, to be made up from parts of Alamos, ottonwood and San Ignacio districts. Ac-

Cottonwood and San Ignacio districts. Action was deferred.
Suitable resolutions were passed relating
to the recent death of J. M. Edmiston, a
late member of the board.
J. E. Cook was appointed superintendent
of the County Hospital at San Jacinto, to
succeed Mr. Harris, resigned. Mrs. Cook was
appointed matron of the hospital, to succeed
Mrs. Harris.
George H. Pfelfier of Temescal was appointed bee inspector, the appointment to be
effective for sixty days, at \$2.50 a day.
Newman Ware, F. B. Cobb and Surveyor
Pearson were appointed as viewers of a proposed new road in the Temecula district,
COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORT. The report of the Horticultural Con

ures: Ten inspectors were employed during February, a total of 192 days, at a cots of February, a total of 182 days, at a cots of 481.52, and three commissioners, a total of forty-six and three-eighth days, at a cost of 3186.50. The expense of record, repair and printing was \$56. The total expenditure of the commission for the month, including the purchase of fumigating tents under contract, was \$144.27. Out of \$56 acres inspected, 776 trees were found to be infected. The new fumigating outfit will be in operation within ten days.

CITY TRUSTEES MEETING. At the meeting of the City Trustees, Tuesday, the firm of A. Ficek & formand was awarded the contract for the Walnut-street newer at the following figures: Each linear foot, 64% cents; each Y branch, \$1.45; each manhole, \$65; flush tank, \$95.

J. H. Chambers was awarded the contract for grading and graveling Eighth street. The total amount of the bid was \$1058,12.

The Superintendent of streets was author-

ized to spend \$200 in repairing the amphalt pavements.

At the afternoon session, the resolution of-fering for sale the franchise for an electric railroad, as applied for by Mr. Miller, was passed to its second reading.

WANT LOWER FREIGHT RATES.

PLANS FOR ARBOR DAY,

SAN BERNARDINOCOUNTY

CLAIM FILED FOR SPRING WATER

Creation of a New School Distric to Be Considered-Petition for Letters of Administration of the Estate of John F. Coons.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 9.--[Regular Correspondence.] Charles J. Duff today filed a claim to the water rising from a spring in section 22, township 1 north, range 3 west, mile above the mouth of City Creek Caffe The water is to be used for domestic and irrigating purposes.

COUNTY FINANCES.

Following is a summary or the Count Treasurer's report for February, as sul mitted to the Supervisors yesterday: RECEIPTS.

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Total\$170,940.65
SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

spondence.] About two hundred people as-sembled at the Y.M.C.A. Auditorium Tuesday evening and nominated the following ticket on a prohibition platform, to be voted upon at the city election next month:

Sprague, A. E. Brock. City Clerk-L. W. Clark (incumbent.) City Marshal—J. E. Wallace (Incumbent)
City Treasurer—F. P. Morrison (Incumbent
The meeting was called to order by Judy
Ezra Crossman. Rev. E. J. Harper offer The meeting was called to order by Judge Exra Crossman. Rev. E. J. Harper offered prayer, and Judge Crossman read the call for the meeting. Mayor Fowler was made chairman of the meeting, and U. L. Dyke secretary.

The following committee was appointed to prepare a platform: Dr. E. Bedford, B. H. Jacobs, J. F. Hamilton, S. Boger, J. M. Cadwell.

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While the committee was working, addresses were made by Rev. J. H. Williams, Kirk H. Field and John P. Fisk, Jr.

The report of the Platform Committee was then submitted. The platform favors: First—Economy in all public expenditures, but not such as will hinder needful improvements.

Second—A practical and progressive business administration.

Third—Regarding the salcon as the most dangerous enemy of our business interests, our schools, our homes, we demand that it shall not return to our city, and all illegal selling of intoxicants shall be stopped."

Fourth—"Our motto is, 'Loyalty to American Institutions and Loyalty to Redlands, whose roads shall be improved with money obtained, and whose public interests and morals shall be protected by wholesome laws, faithfully enforced, with justice to all and special favors to none."

The platform went through with a rush, Tae candidates presented were nominated by acciemation.

The following were named for library trusticant. A. H. Smiley, J. B. Breed, J. W. England, K. H. Field and B. H. Jacobs. Addresses followed by Rev. Ira G. Sprague, Rev. W. F. Harper, A. H. Smiley and A. K. Smiley.

WATER COMPANY ELECTION.

The annual meeting of the Cratton Water Company was held Tuesday affernoon. Two

WATER COMPANY ELECTION.

The annual meeting of the Crafton Water Company was held Tuesday afternoon. Two thousand shares, or over two-thirds of the stock, was represented. The following directors were chosen for the enauing year: C. R. Palne, A. B. Ruggles, Leland Lyon, H. H. Garsten, Halsey W. Allen. Organization was effected by the election of the following was election of the followin

CHICAGO, March 9.—Ex-President Cleveland has accepted an invitation of the Iroquois Club to deliver an address at the Auditorium in Chicago on the afternon of April 23. He will also respond to a toast in the evening at the club's banquet, which is to be "Sound Democracy and Sound Money Demonstration."

A TOUGH CUSTOMER.

OFFICER MILLER THROWN FROM A BUGGY.

He Takes His Prisoner With Him. Both Men Injured-A Case of Dago Red-Horse Racing on Los

Police Officer Joe Miller was brought this morning in about as badly a shaken-up condition as can be imagined. He was bleeding from scalp wounds on his head, had bruises on his face and hands, and was covered with mud from head to foot, while his clothing was well nigh torn from his

He brought with him Andy Swanson, a "husky" rancher, who was fighting drunk, and who was the cause of all

drunk, and who was the cause of all the officer's injuries, disfigurement and dilapidation. Swanson also looked as if he had been used as a street-sweeper, but was full of whisky and fuller of fight.

Swanson came to town in a buggy drawn by a spirited horse, and after loading up with Alameda-street whisky proceeded to take his rig out on Los Angeles street, and run his horse up and down that thoroughfare at breakneck speed. He narrowly escaped running down several pedestrians before Officer Miller captured him, the horse being almost run to death.

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On the way to the station Swanson suddenly assaulted the policeman who was driving, and the two went out of the bugsy, head first onto the cobblestones, the officer underneath. Although knocked senseless for a moment by his fall Policeman Miller succeeded in hanging on to his prisoner, and as he regained consciousness managed to get one handcuff on his wrist. Then a bystander came to the patrolman's assistance, and Swanson was brought in and booked for resisting an officer, disturbing the peace and being drung.

Officer Miller was patched up by Dr. Hagan and sent home. Swanson's horse was sent to a stable to be cared for while its owner was put in the "lone will be a swan and the sum of the swan and the swan

SANTA BARBARA.

Mass Meeting in the Interests of a New City Charter.

SANTA BARBARA, March 9.— [Regular Correspondence.] A crowd of conservative citizens convened at the City Hall last evening, in response to the Board of Trade's call for a mass meeting in the interests of a new city charter. Judge R. B. Canfield was elected chairman of the meeting, and J. T. Johnson, secretary. R. B. Canfield, Adam Ott, G. S. Edwards, W. A. Fiske, A. M. Ruiz, H. G. Crane, B. F. Thomas, C. E. Sherman, S. N. Hiller, John F. Diehl, E. C. Tallant, A. Goux, J. W. Taggart, J. M. Garretson and Dr. R. F. Winchester were the fifteen freeholders nominated for election in April to prepare and submit a new charter for adoption. Dr. Stambach, B. F. Thomas and J. W. Taggart constituted the committee appointed to notify the nominees and fle certificates of nomination.

POULTRY SHOW READY.

Armory Hall will be ready for visitors to
the pet stock show promptly at 7 o'clock.
Coops and kennels beyond criticism are
rapidly filling with wonderful specimens of
poultry and aristocratic canines with and
without records and pedigree. The dogs will
be the center of attraction on a platform down
the length of the hall, and the poultry as
wall flowers, will decorate the sides. Noted
entries have been made from the metropolitan circles of Los Angeles and San Francisco, for competition with the large candi-

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

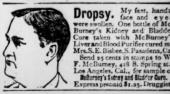
EWS FROM SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TOWNS, Pear

"Beauty is but skindeep" was probably meant to disparage beauty. Instead it tells how easy that beauty is to attain.

"There is no beauty like the beauty of health' was also meant to disparage. Instead it encourages beauty.

Pears' Soap is the means of health to the skin, and so to both these sorts of

All sorts of stores sell it, especially druggists; all sorts of people use it.



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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

been filed on the estate of John F. Coons, who was killed February 18 in the railroad accident near Kramer. The estate consists of community property valued at \$244.18. The widow of the deceased is the petitioner, and the other helrs are Edith E. Coons, and Arthur N. Coons, who reside in Reading, Mass., and Myerta L. Ferguson Coons, residing at The Needles, all children of the ce-ceased by a former wife.

March 21 has been named by the Superindents of Schools of San Bernardino and Orange counties as the date for considering the petition made for the creation of a joint school district in the vicinity of Chino. The parties have signed the petition, which states that over fifteen children would attend the school if organized.

Geryze Benson, a well-known resident of San Bernardino, left today for Los Angeles, en route for Alaska.

Sarah E. Katenhorn died here today, aged 22 years.

Interest is manifested.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

Helston of Santa Cruz officiated last Sunday in the Christian Church of this city, with such satisfaction to the congregation and himself that he has been officially onest. Flower, J. Jones and maid, Mrs. A. Lang-helated bar based on the petitioner of the ce-ceased by a former wife.

Rev. J. B. Haston of Santa Cruz officiated last Sunday in the Christian Church of this city, with such satisfaction to the congregation and himself that he has been officially with such satisfaction to the congregation and himself that he has been officially saled to the pastorate. Mr. Haston has certained to the pastorate. Mr. Haston has certained

[Town Topics:] Bildad. That was a singularly unfortunate typographical error that the paper made in speaking of those Vassar candidates, wasn't it? Ichabod. What was it? I didn't see it. Bildad. Why, the reporter wrote Bildad, Why, the reporter "they are all angels," and it printed "they are all angles."



RTIFICIAL TEETH...

Bear in mind that a row of teeth set in a circle on a rubber plate is a poor substitute for what Nature has given you. Nothing is so closely identified with personal appearance as good teeth.

Bad teeth deface beyond repair by any means except what artificial teeth can do, and good teeth add what nothing else can supply. Hence, it is surprising how long persons will forego the change from bad to good; and surprising, also, that so little taste and judgment are shown in the selection of artificial teeth. Not only are plates often ill adapted, but the teeth are selected so frequently without regard to the person's individuality.

Dr. Schiffman I consider expert. By experience I find his work painless and perfectly satisfactory

H. C. ROYER, M.D., Los Angeles. A son of Gov. McCord of Arizona says: It affords me pleasure to add my name to the list of fortunate ones who have had teeth extracted without a particle of pain by Dr. Schiffman. His method certainly robs the dental chair of all its horrors. Its horrors.

I have just had twenty-five bad teeth and old bruised roots extracted by the Schiffman method, and it did not hurt a bit.

I heartily recommend Dr. Schiffman as excert dentist, and the Schiffman method of painless dentistry is wonderful. S. K. HEMPHILL, Orange, Cal.

The one Dr. Schiffman extracted for me was "a wonder." And the way he did it was also a wonder. I did not know it was out until it was all over.

E. W. MANSFIELD, Business Manager Burbank Theater.

I have heard much of Dr. Schiffman, but never fully realized that what his patients said of his work was or could be as represented until I tried him myself. E. K. PETERS, 68 Thi, ty, seventh street. I have just had nine roots taken out by the Schiffman Method; they were extracted without the slightest pain, and I heartily recommend it to extracted without the slightest pain, and I heartily recommend it to C. MORRISON, Judge Police Court,

Two badly ulcerated roots; a splendid, safe and easy operation. REV. SELAH W. BROWN, University. Averse to giving certificates for advertising purposes, I am impelled to give this one for the good it may do others. Dr. Schiffman extracted a badly ulcerated tooth for me without pain. W. H. WHELAN, Pastor First Baptist Church, San Luis Obispo, California.

This is to certify that I have had twenty-two teeth extracted by Dr. Schiffman, and I heartly recommend his method.

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City Briefs.

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The Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York, known as "the Old Reliable," has established a department for Southern California in Los Angeles. The assets of the Manhattan are over \$15,000,000. This company was the first to introduce (March 8, 1864.) the incontestable feature, and for this act alone challenges and merits approbation and confidence. New and special features of the Manhattan policies are "guaranteed Toan values," pald up or extended insurance," and the "unrivivorship dividend plan," guaranteed in the policy. All other forms of policies issued by life insurance companies are also issued by the Manhattan under liberal non-technical terms. Charles A. Willis (room 215 Hellman building.) has been appointed district manager.

district manager.

Miss E. C. Collins cordially invites the ladies of \$\mathcal{Q}_{.00}\$ Angeles and vicinity to her season's opening, Friday and Saturday, March 11 and 12, at her store in the Y.M.C.A. building, No. 209 South Broadway. This season, after a personal selection in New York of the finest designs and importations of French patterns and novelties, Miss Collins will display a line of select shapes, bonnets, round hats and general milinery, such as has never been shown in this city and cannot now be found outside her collection.

What did you think of that fifteenmanager.

outside her collection.

What did you zhink of that fifteenhorse power Northern Multipolar
Spherical steel motor sold by the
agents the other day? It was a beauty,
Specially adapted for elevators. Smaller
sizes in stock up to ten-horse power.
The Machinery and Electrical Co., sole
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Mexican drawn work, \$1000 worth at reduced prices. Nothing ever like it before in Los Angeles. Don't fail to see the great assortment of beautiful work, Campbell's Curio Store, 325 South Spring street.

Spring street.

The assignce of the Famous Shoe
Store 335 South Spring street, offers
the stock for sale at 50 cents on the
dollar. Sale commences today at 9:30
a.m. Cash only. Single pairs or quan-

Pools will be sold on the Sharkey-hoynski fight tonight, and Friday ight at the Los Angeles Turf Ex-bange, No. 143 South Broadway (In

Rand & McNally's official map of Alaska, with cover, for 25 cents at The Times counting room, or mailed to any address for the same price. Special—Finest cabinet photos re-duced to \$1 and \$1.75 per dozen. Sun-beam. No. 236 South Main street.

Dr. C. Edgar Smith, female, rectal diseases. Lankershim bldg. Green 494. Mexican carved leather goods made at Campbell's Curio Store.

Drawn-work sale at Campbell's. concert for the benefit of Peter Meers, the invalid violinist, will be given in Y.M.C.A. Hall this evening.

given in Y.M.C.A. Hall this evening. There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office for: E. Barnett, Louis T. Liebhardt, J. B. Southwell, J. C. Welling, Mrs. E. E. Maxwell.

Chief Giass has issued orders to his men for the strict enforcement of the bill-board ordinance. All signs over ten feet in height must be moved back thirty feet from the street.

Thomas Gram, an inmate of the

Thomas Gram, an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Santa Monica, who sometimes wanders away, was picked up on Spring street last night suffering from epilepsy. He has been at work for a few days for J. F. Spooner of No. 708½ South Spring street. He will be sent to the home today.

PERSONALS.

Dr. A. W. Wilcox of Laredo, Tex., left for Henolulu yesterday. H. H. Eliel, who has been staying in the city for some time, went North Tuesday on his way to China. He will sail on the steamship Doric, which leaves San Francisco on the 20th. Albert Eads, Q. C. Ward and a Mr. McGee of Macomb, Ill., are recent arrivals in the city. They called at the Police Station yesterday to pay their respects to their former townsman, Capt. W. C. Roberts.

Gov. Hastings of Pennsylvania and party arrived in Los Angeles this morning in special car Pickwick. He will remain in Los Angeles a day or so, then go to San Diego, thence to Riverside, then to Santa Barbara and on to San Francisco.

Licensed to Wed.

Claude S. de Berry, 23 years of age and a native of Missouri, and Georgia M. Bossler, 18 years of age, also a native of Missouri; both are residents of Los Angeles. Emil H. Olsson, 31 years of age and a

native of Sweden, and Edla Erickson, 27 years of age, also a native of Sweden; both are residents of Los Angeles.
William V. Marshburn, 42 years of age, a native of North Carolina and a resident of El Modena, and Lucy Her-meo Pidgon, 27 years of age, a native of Iowa and a resident of Piru City

Ventura county.

Fred Willox, 26 years of age and a native of Canada, and Maude M. Reid. 20 years of age and a native of Oregon; both are residents of Los Angeles. John Maggiora, 38 years of age and a native of Italy, and Mary Massant, 34 years of age and a native of France; both are residents of Santa Monica.

BIRTH RECORD.

GUYOT-To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guyot, March 8, 1898, a son.

DEATH RECORD.

HOWARD-In this city, March 8, 1898, at his residence, No. 619 Park View avenue, J. E. Howard, aged 58 years. Funeral services will be held at No. 619 Park View avenue, Saturday afternoon, March 22, 1898, at 2 p.m. Friends invited to attend.

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RUBENS—In this city, March 8, 1898, at her
late residence, No. 143 North Walnut screet,
com cerebral meningitis, Luella H. Rubens,
comperatifrom pariors of Kregelo & Bresee,
Wednesday, March 8, Interment at Everand Rochester, N. Y., papers

please copy.] Los Angeles, Cai., March 7, 1898, Sarah Kelsey, aged 85 years. The funeral services will be held at the parlors of Kregelo & Breeze, concr Broadway and Sixth street, this (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock. The friends of the family are invited to attend., Interment Rosedale. WHITE—In this city, March 2, 1888. Mra. Annie M. White, a native of England, aged 33 years 2 months 13 days. Funeral will take place, Friday. Marca 11, 1898, from the Cathedral, South Main street, at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

The funeral services will be held at the parlors of Kregelo & Bresee, corner Broadway and Sixth street, this (Thursday) and Sixth street, this (Thursday) are still o'cicek. The friends of the family are invited to attend. Interment Rosedae. W. H. Theobald & Co. V. White In this city, March 2 1885. Mra. Annie M. White, a native of England, aged 53 years 2 months 12 days. Funeral will take place Friday, Marca 11 1888, from the Cathedral, South Main street, at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

POULTRY AND PET STOCK ASSCCIATION At Santa Barbara, March 2 to 12th, inclusive, good for return until Tuesday, March 15, inclusive. Tickets 33.59 round trip. Take Southern Pacific Company Shore Line, leaving Los Angeles 8:05 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

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FIESTA TAKING SHAPE.

STORIES OF GOLD" TO BE TOLE IN ALLEGORY.

Bids for the Official Programm Stationery and Button to Close Next Tuesday—Invitation to the Americus Club — New Subscrip-

Yesterday the Flesta Committee had Yesterday the Flesta Committee had a busy day. Each one has taken hold with vigor, and has apparently determined that so far as individual effort can conduce to the desired result, nothing shall be lacking. It is a committee that the committee of the committee paratively thankless office, too, serv-ing as a committeeman, for the greater part of the work done in the

greater part of the work done in the way of preparation for the fiesta consists of matters of important detail, that the public neither knows nor cares about. The great public only cares for the grand result.

Yesterday the general scheme or story to be told by the floats was decided upon. California this year held the jublice celebration of the finding of gold by Marshall in 1848. That is a practical story of gold. But in the coming flesta the "Storles of Gold" will be told in an idealized fastion. Poetry and mythology will be drawn upon.

be told in an idealized fastion. Poetry and mythology will be drawn upon, and in "Jason Finding the Golden Fleece," the "Rheingold," and kindred legends ample scope will be found for an artistic allegorical display.

"Bids for the privilege to exclusively handle the official programme of the fleeta, the official stationery and the official button will be received up to Tuesday, March 15, and will then be closed.

Some original ideas are to be intro-luced on floral day, and the Americus Club of Pasadena has already been in-riked to participate in the grand

viked to participate in the grand parade.

The subscriptions to the fund show no sign of abatement, and the total sum now presents most gratifying proportions. But there is much to be done, and it is a self-evident proposition that the larger the fund the more complete and elaborate will be the flesta celebration. Therefore, those who have not yet felt moved to contribute. can now do so in the full knowledge that every dollar will be made to do full duty; and those that have already contributed may, perhaps, be impelled to follow many good examples set, and give a second donation. Among the late donations is the sum of \$60, given by the Hackmen's Association. This is in addition to substantial subscription by individual members.

members.
The amounts subscribed to The Times list up to date are as follows:

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